A First Ladybird Key Words

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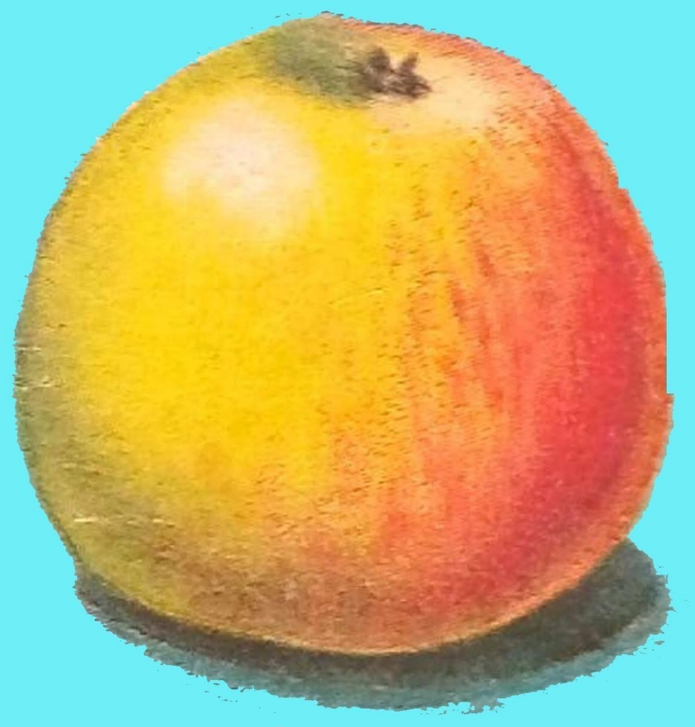

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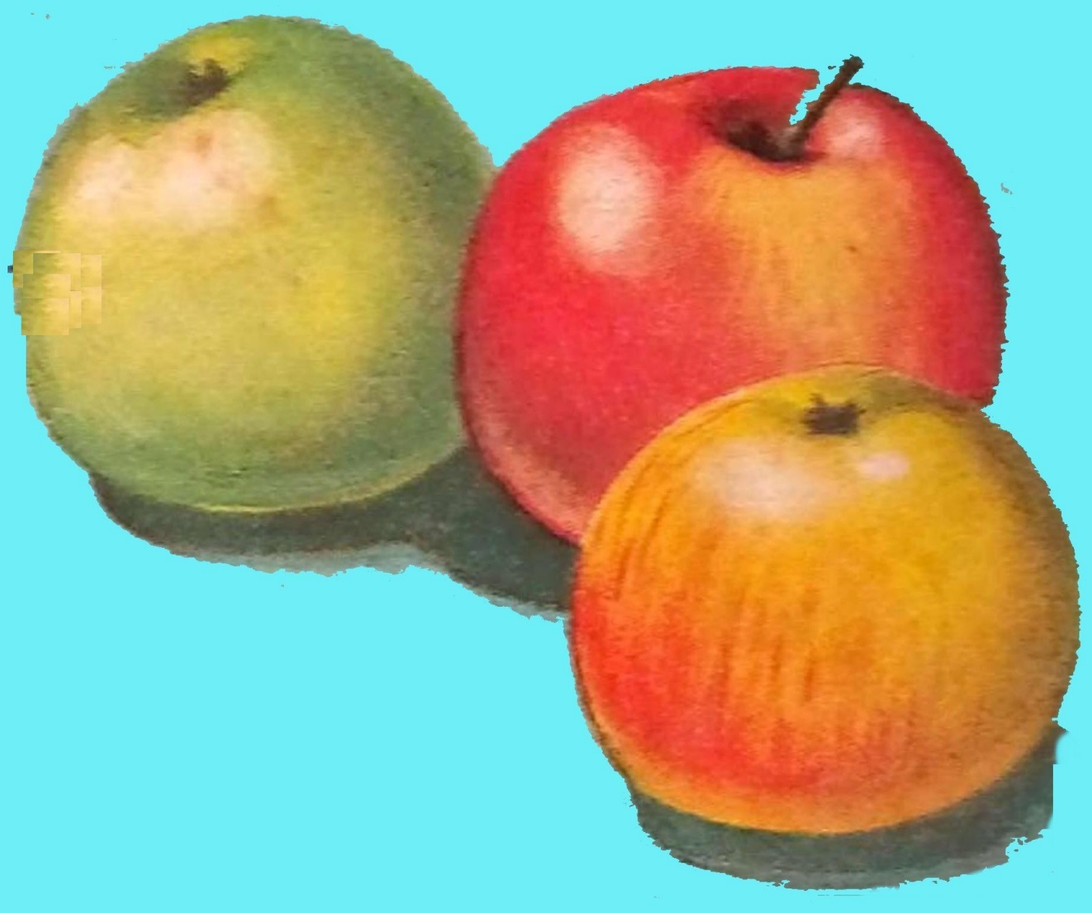

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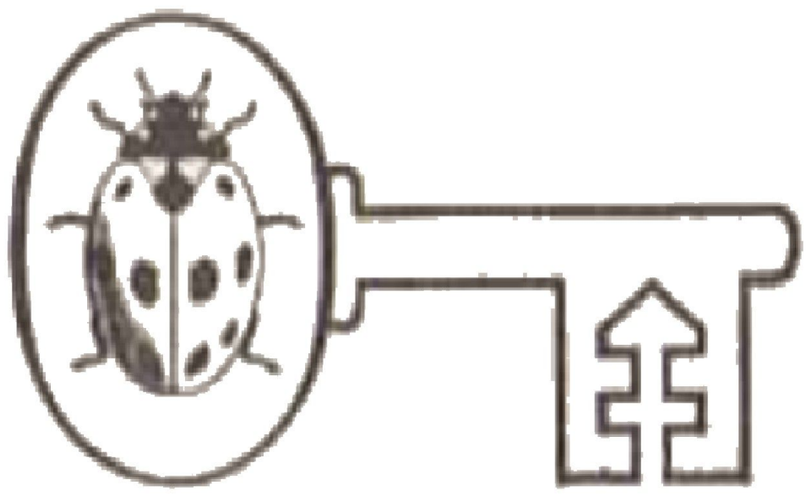

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Some words in our language are used much more frequently than others. Three hundred of the most frequently used words make up about three-quarters of the total number of words used in juvenile reading. The very common words have been called Key Words, and reading skill is accelerated if these important words are learned early.

This first dictionary introduces ninety-two Key Words in pictorial form, and the words chosen lend themselves to easy, unambiguous illustration. Sixty-eight nouns are presented, thirty-two appearing again in the plural form. Eleven verbs in everyday use are included, also the most commonly used numbers and colours.

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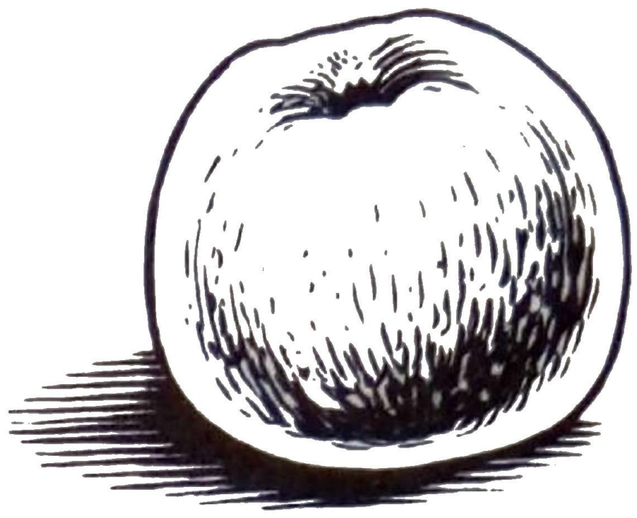

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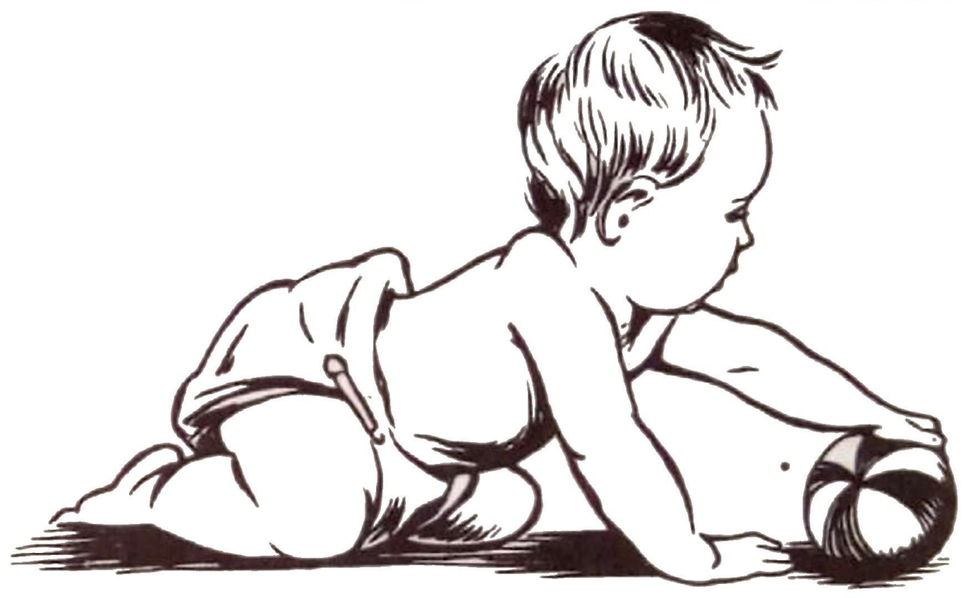

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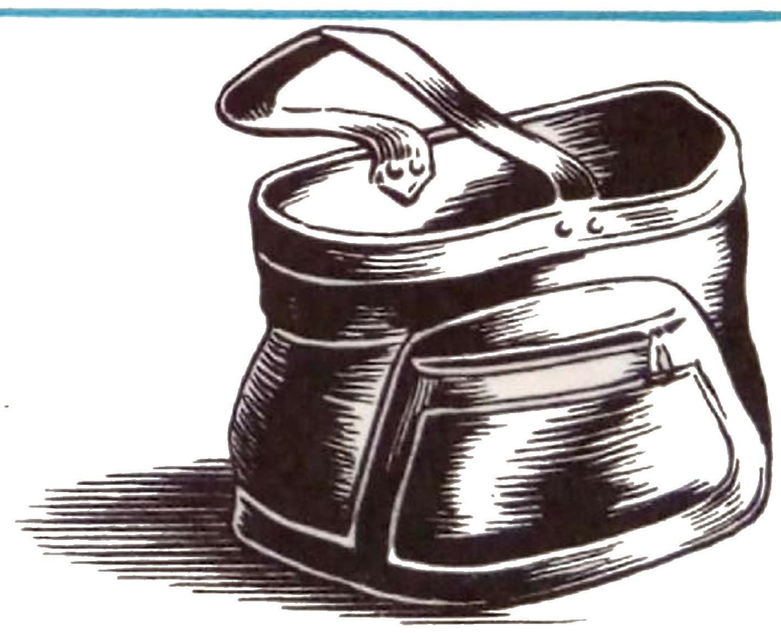

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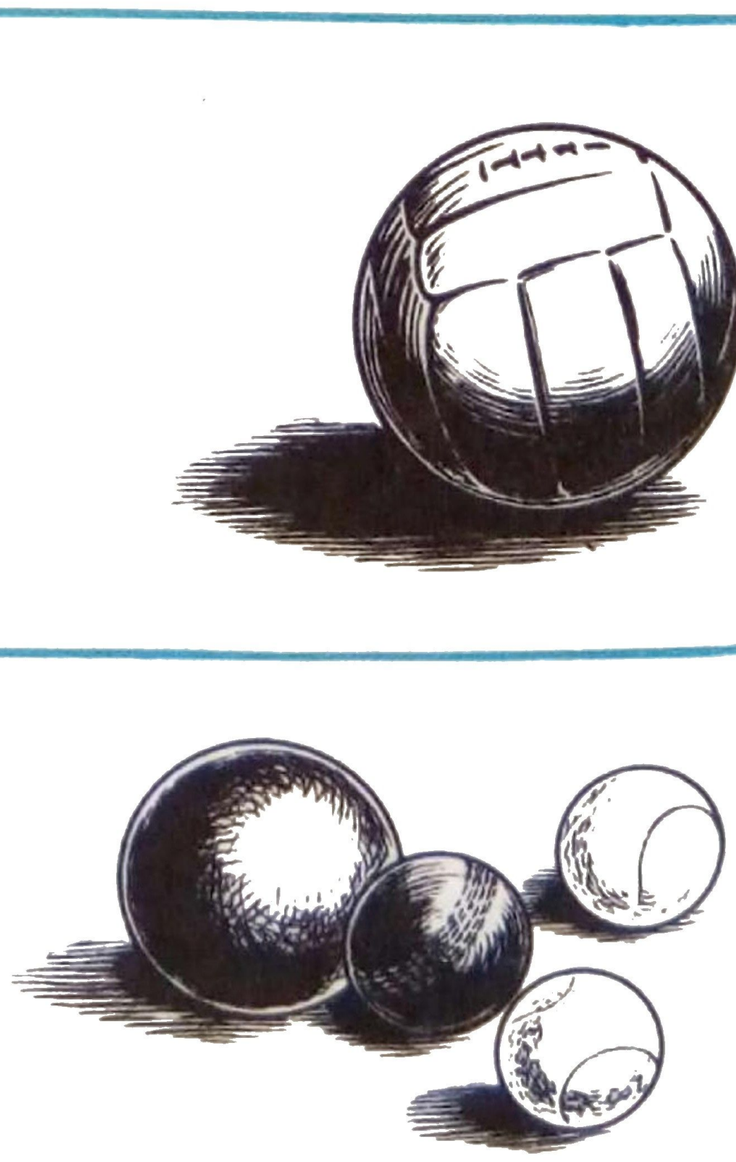

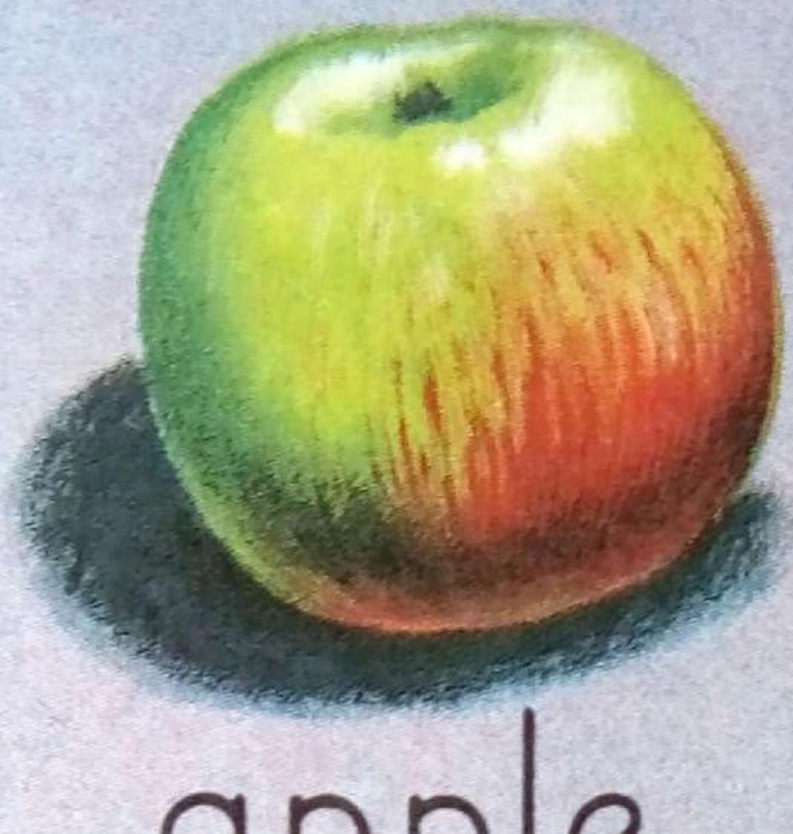

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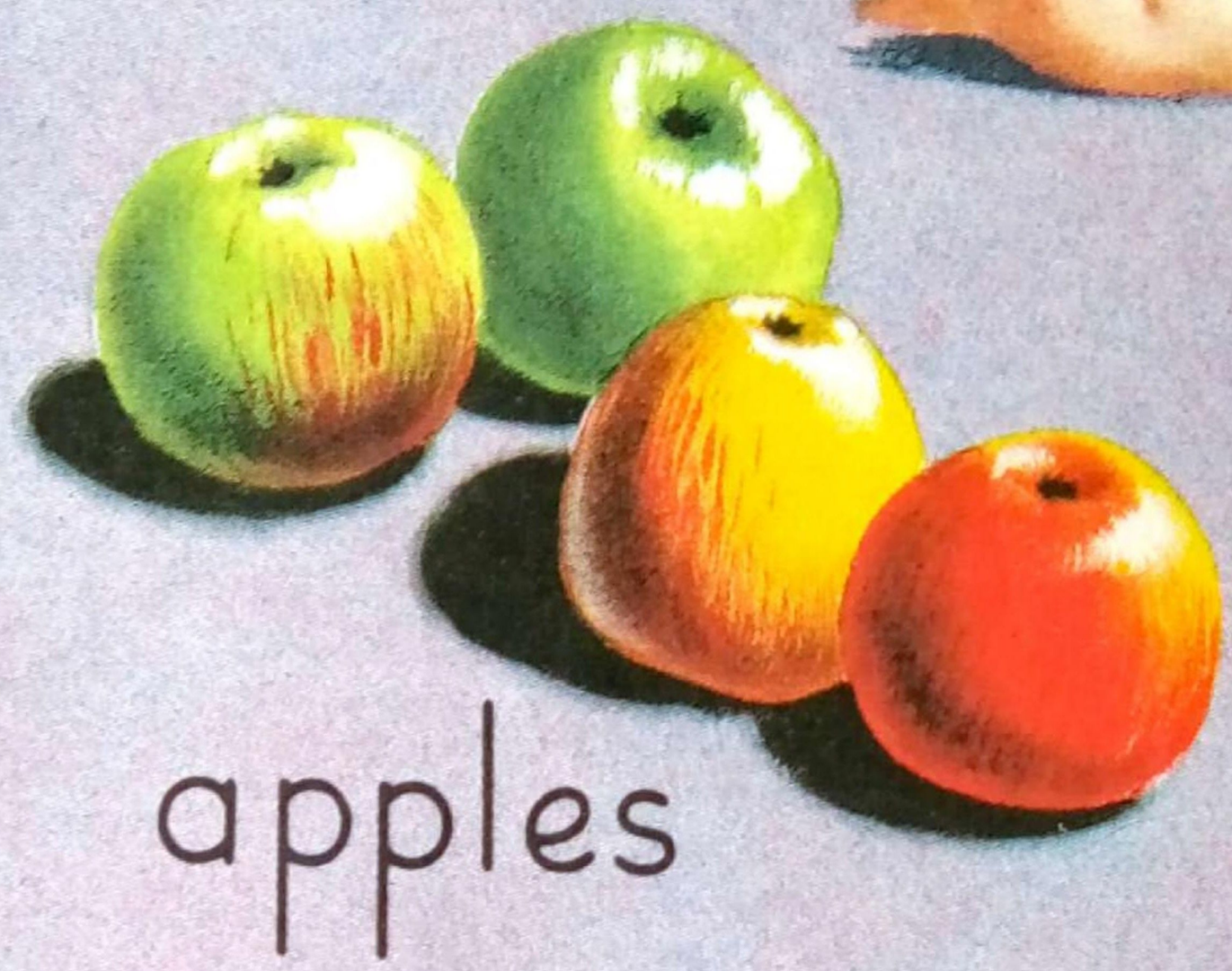

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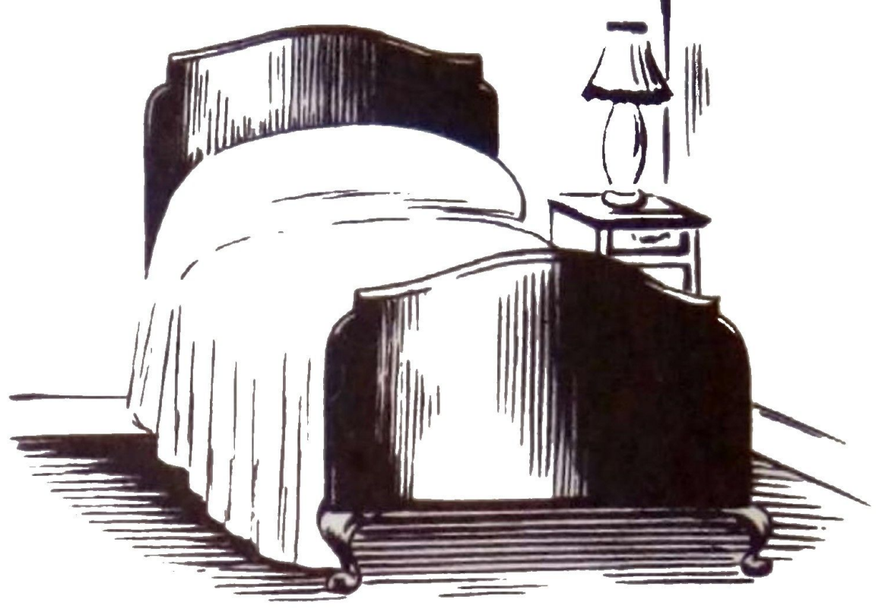

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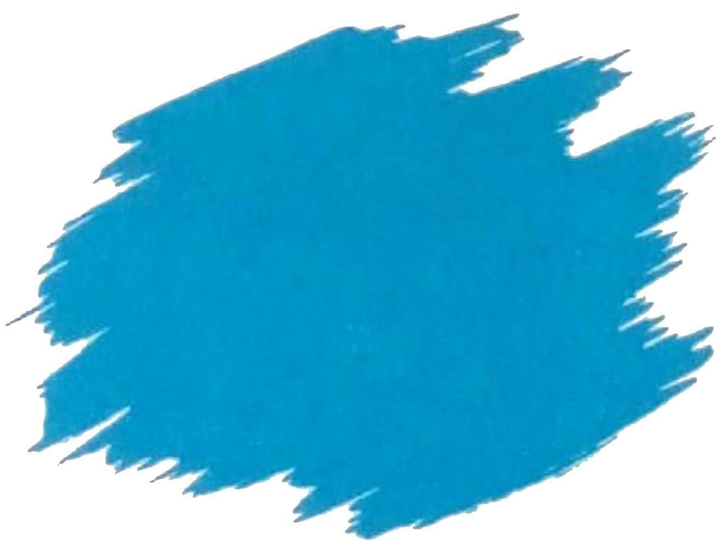

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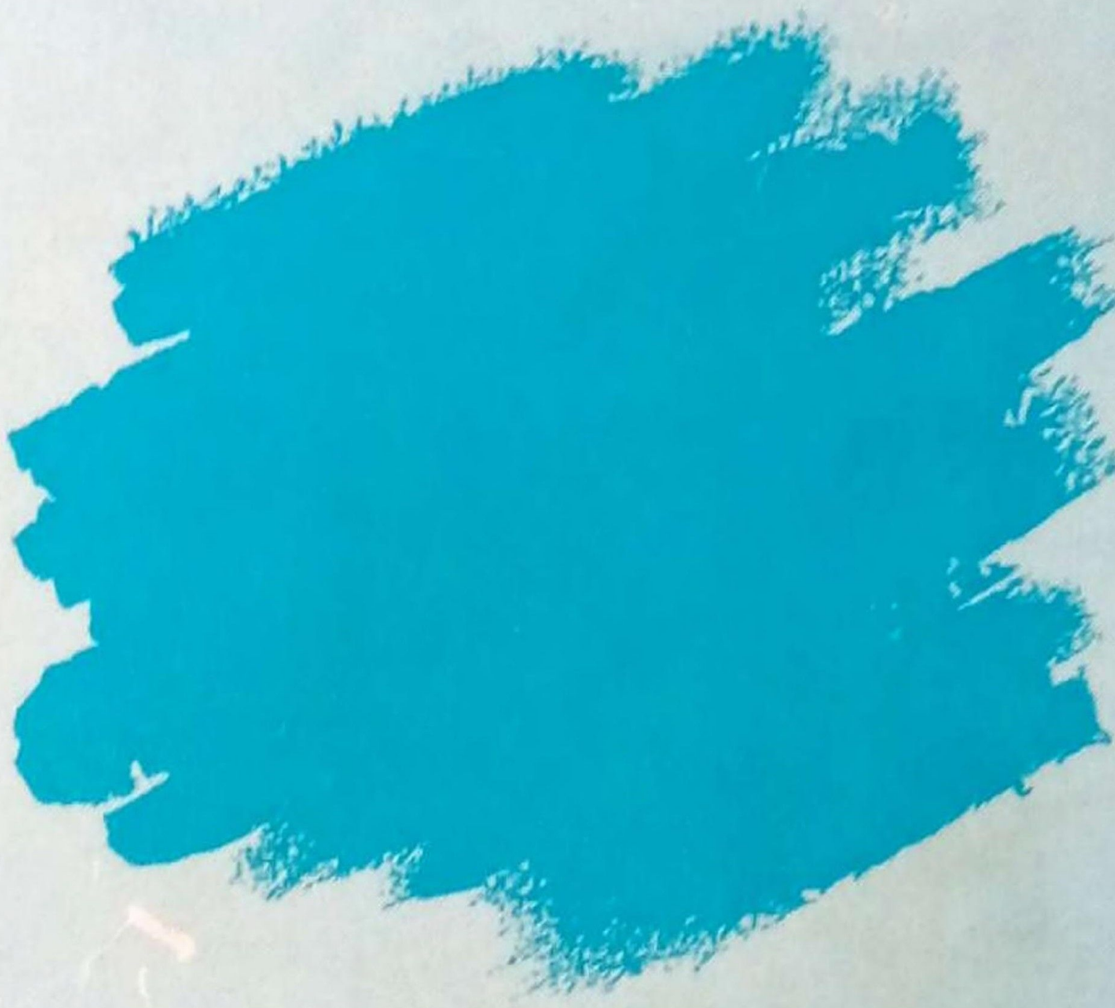

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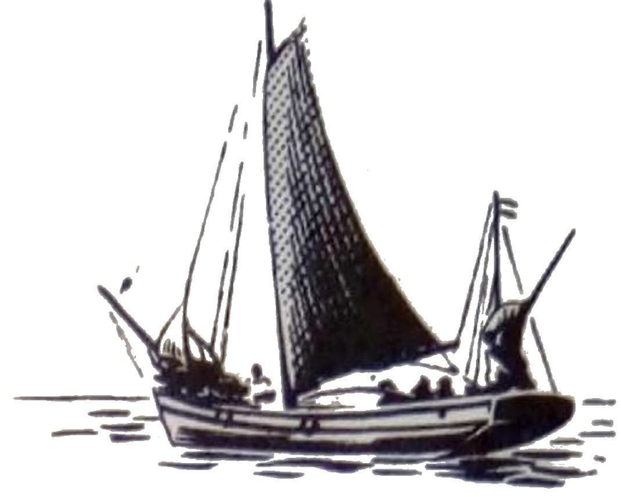

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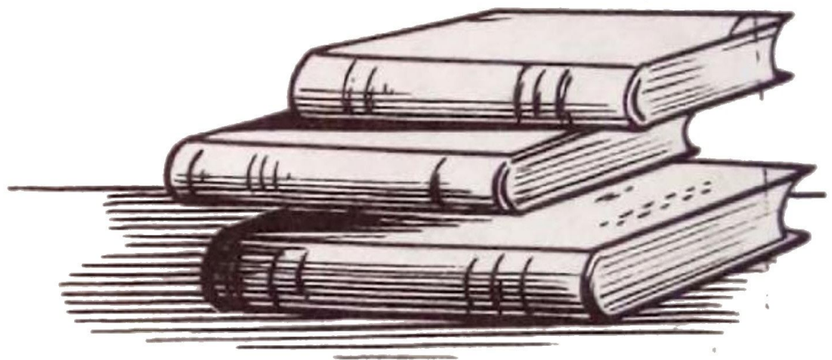

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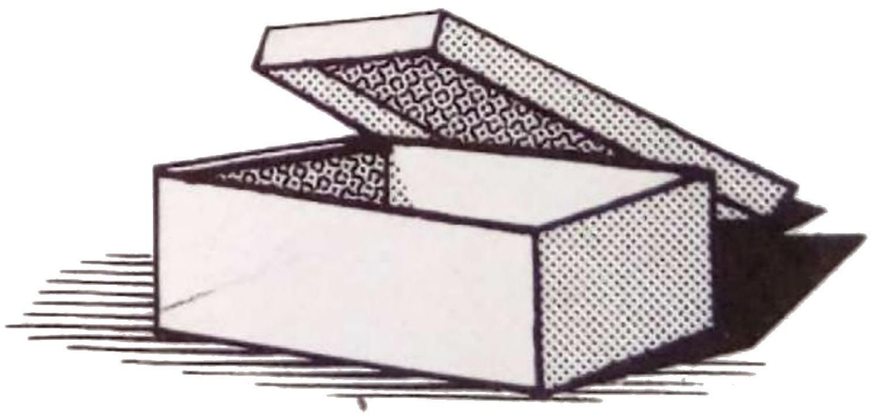

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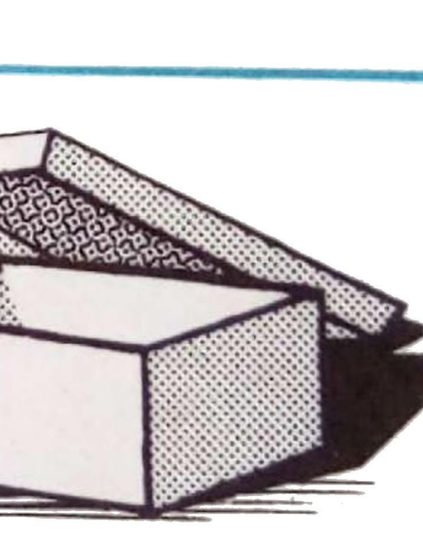

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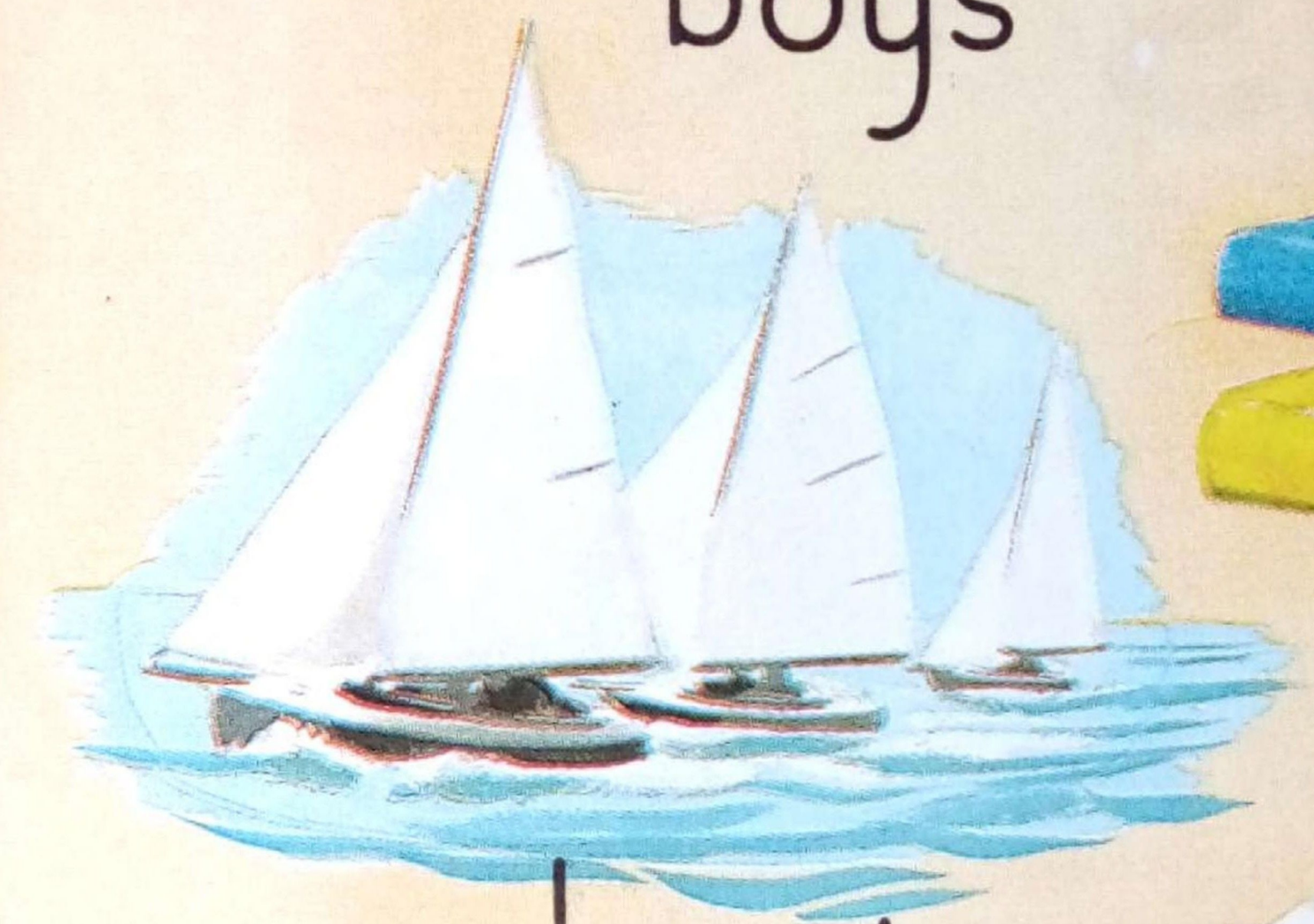

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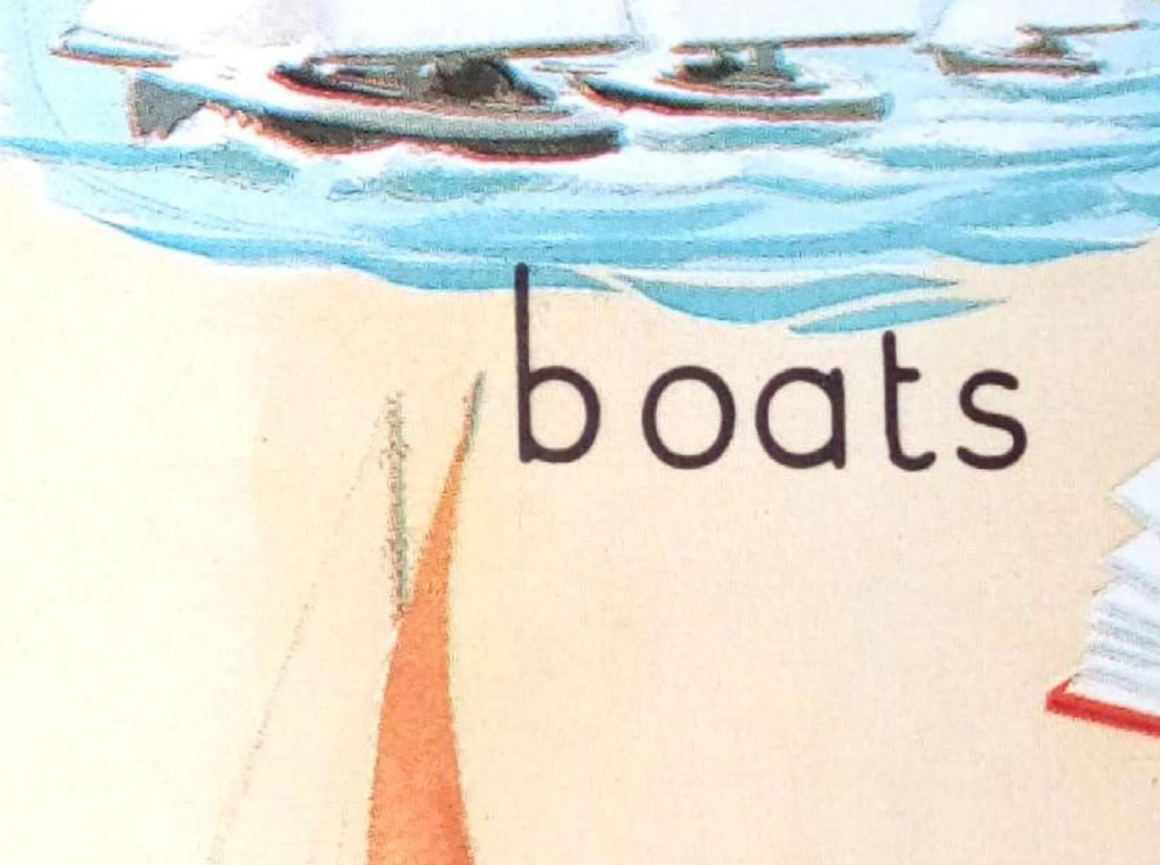

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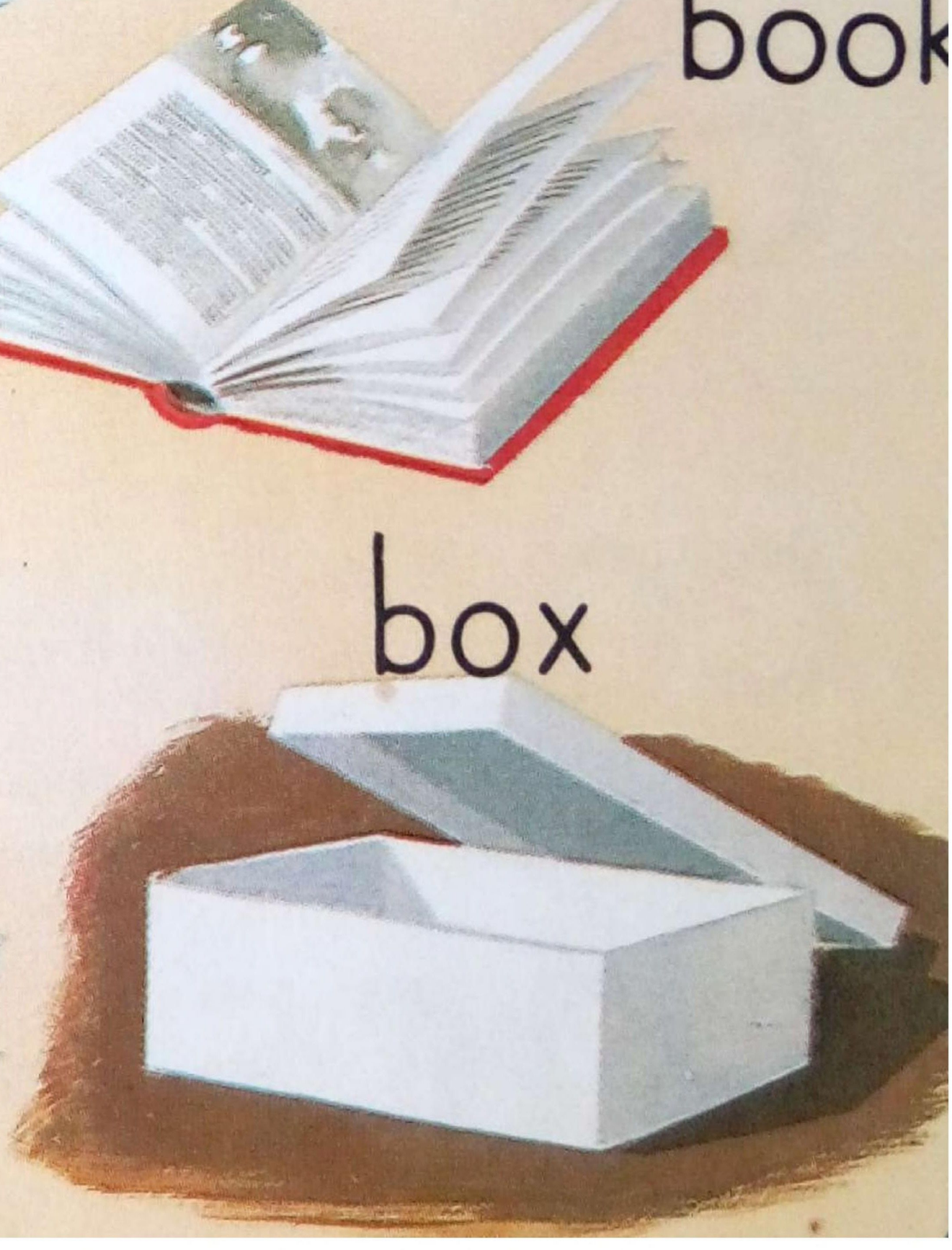

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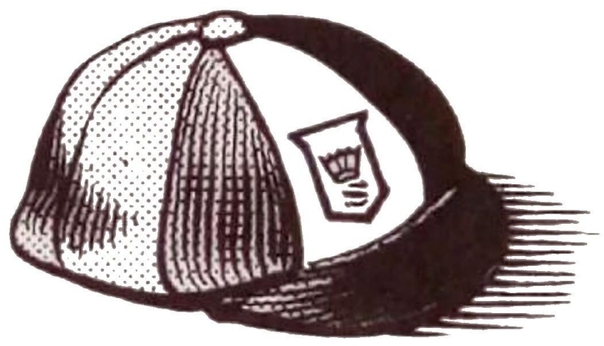

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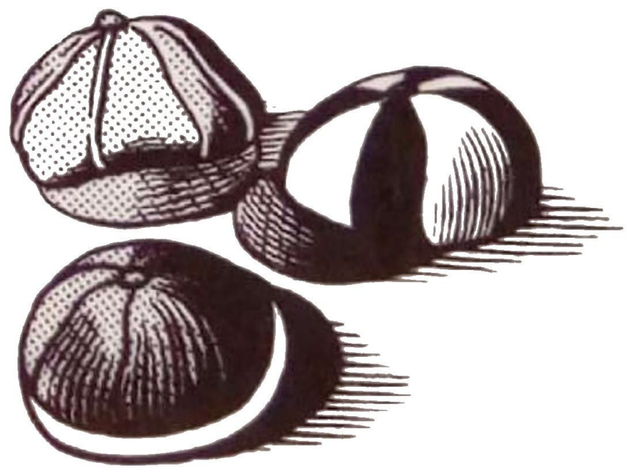

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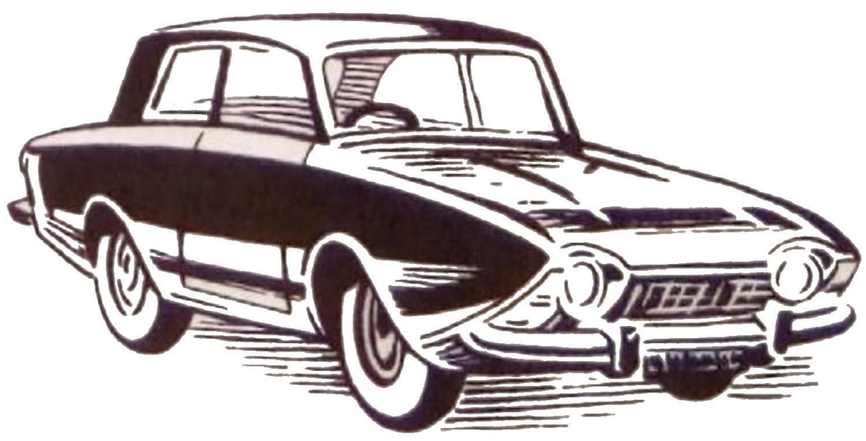

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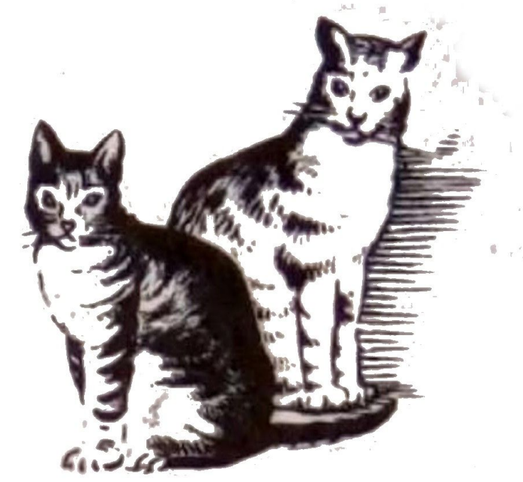

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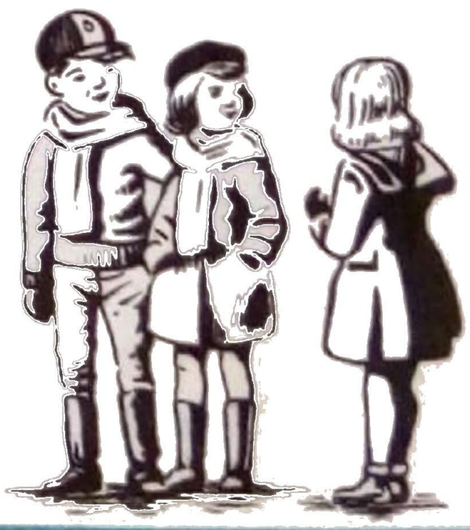

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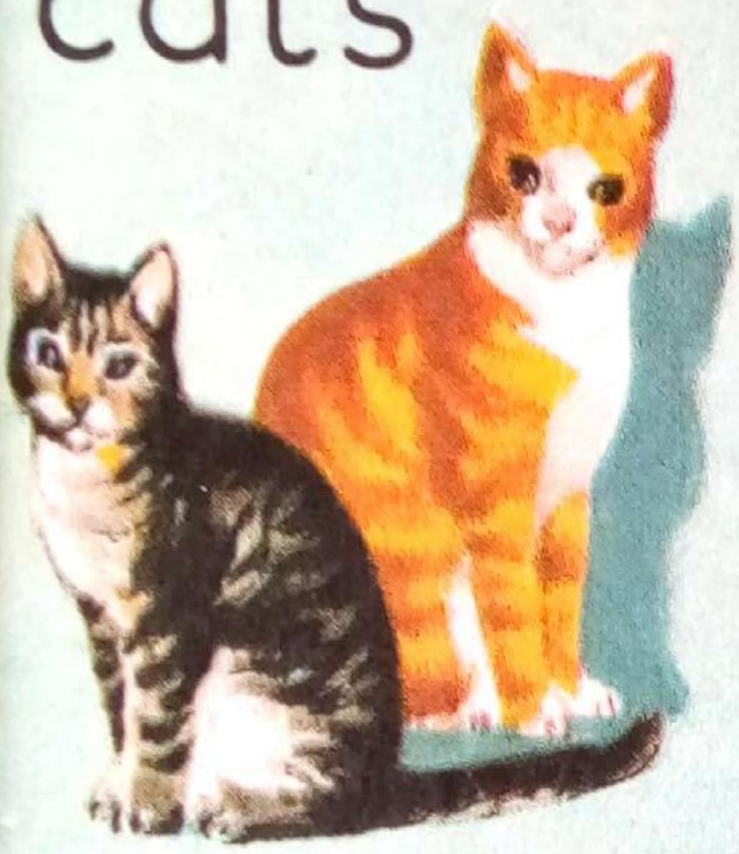

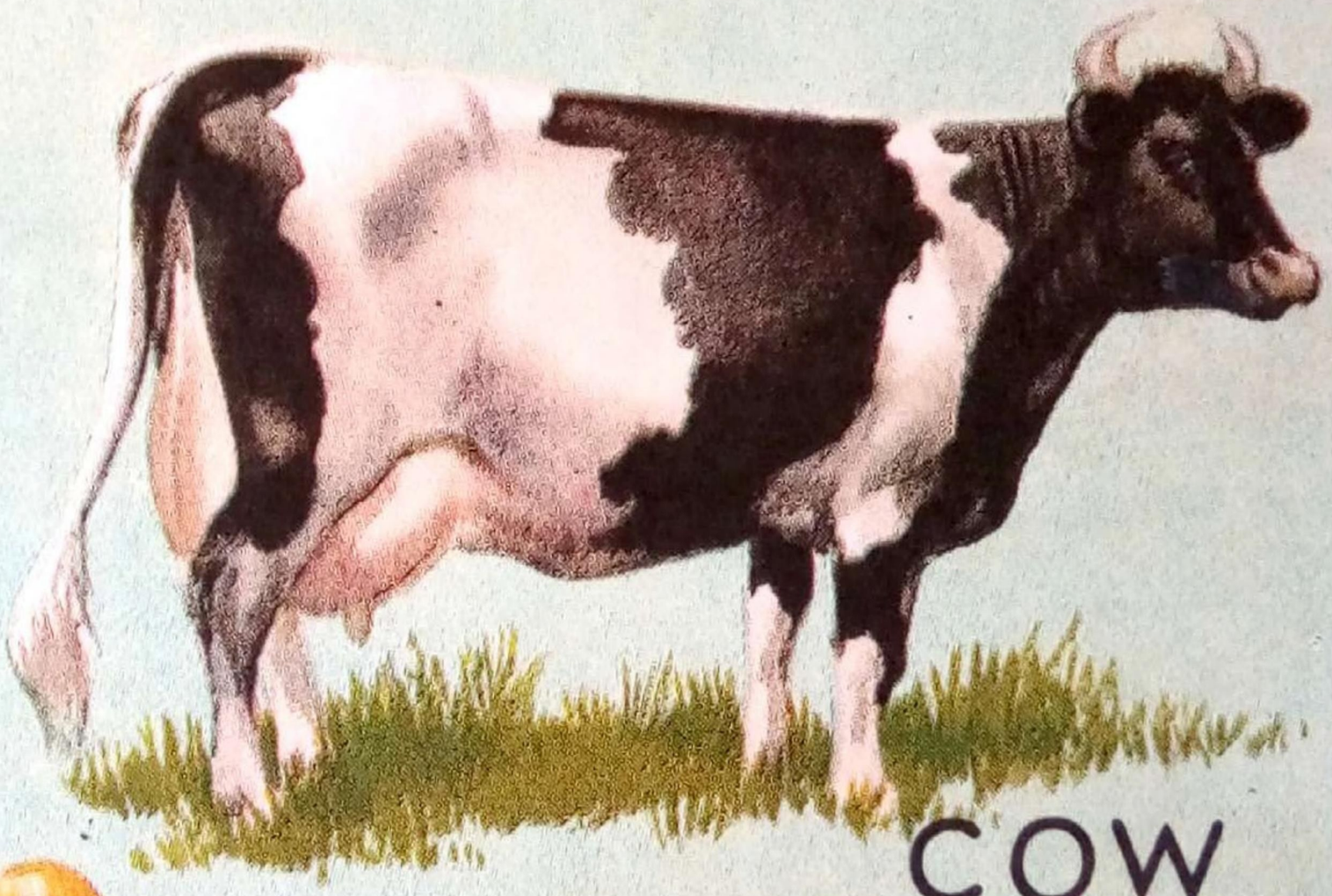

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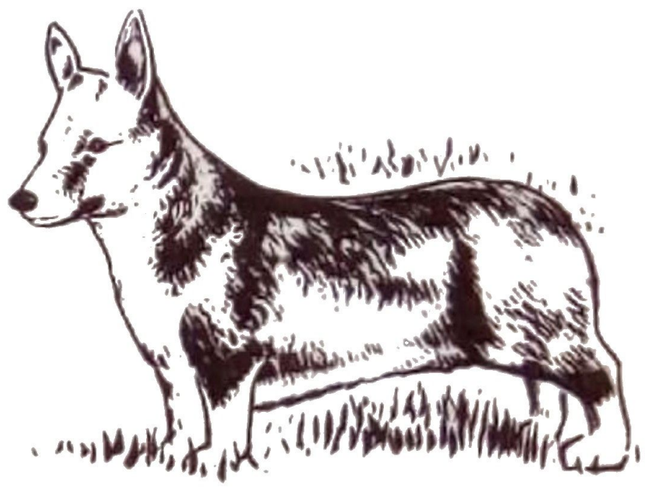

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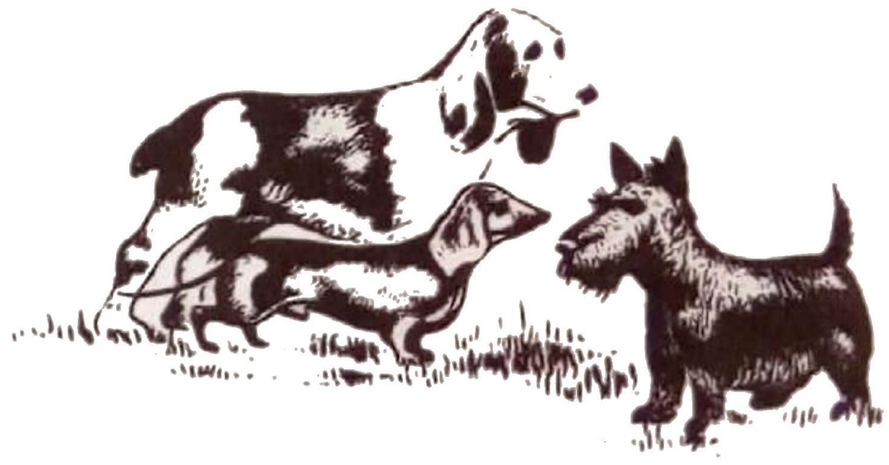

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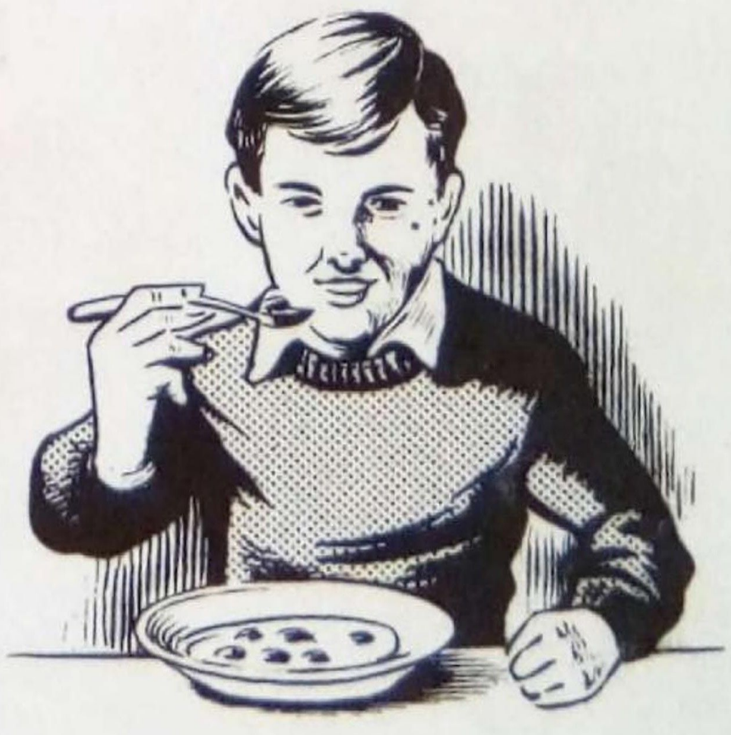

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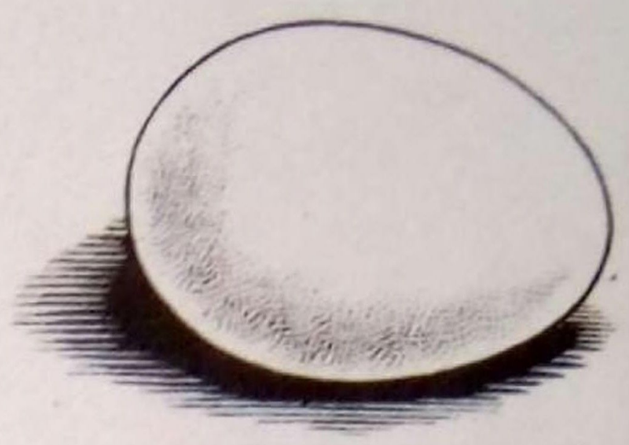

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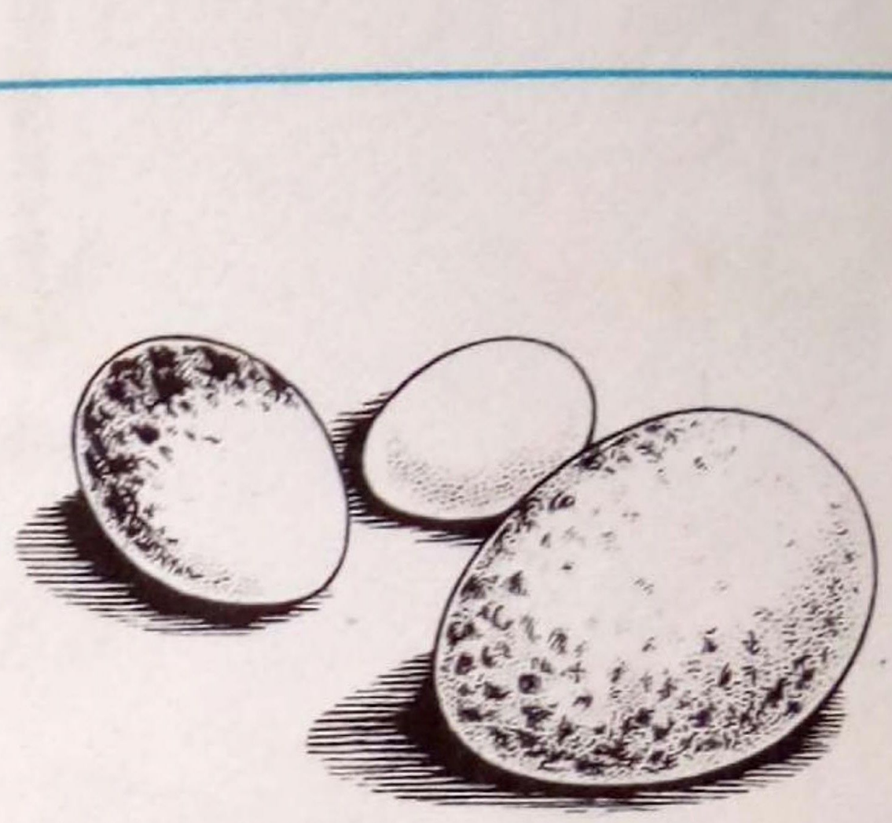

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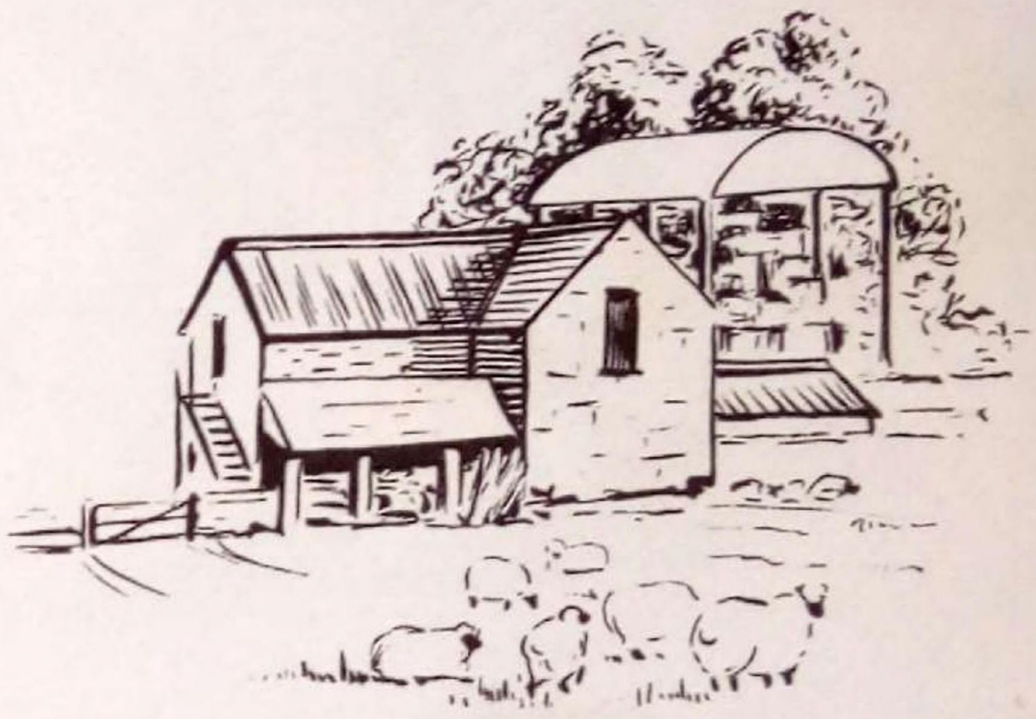

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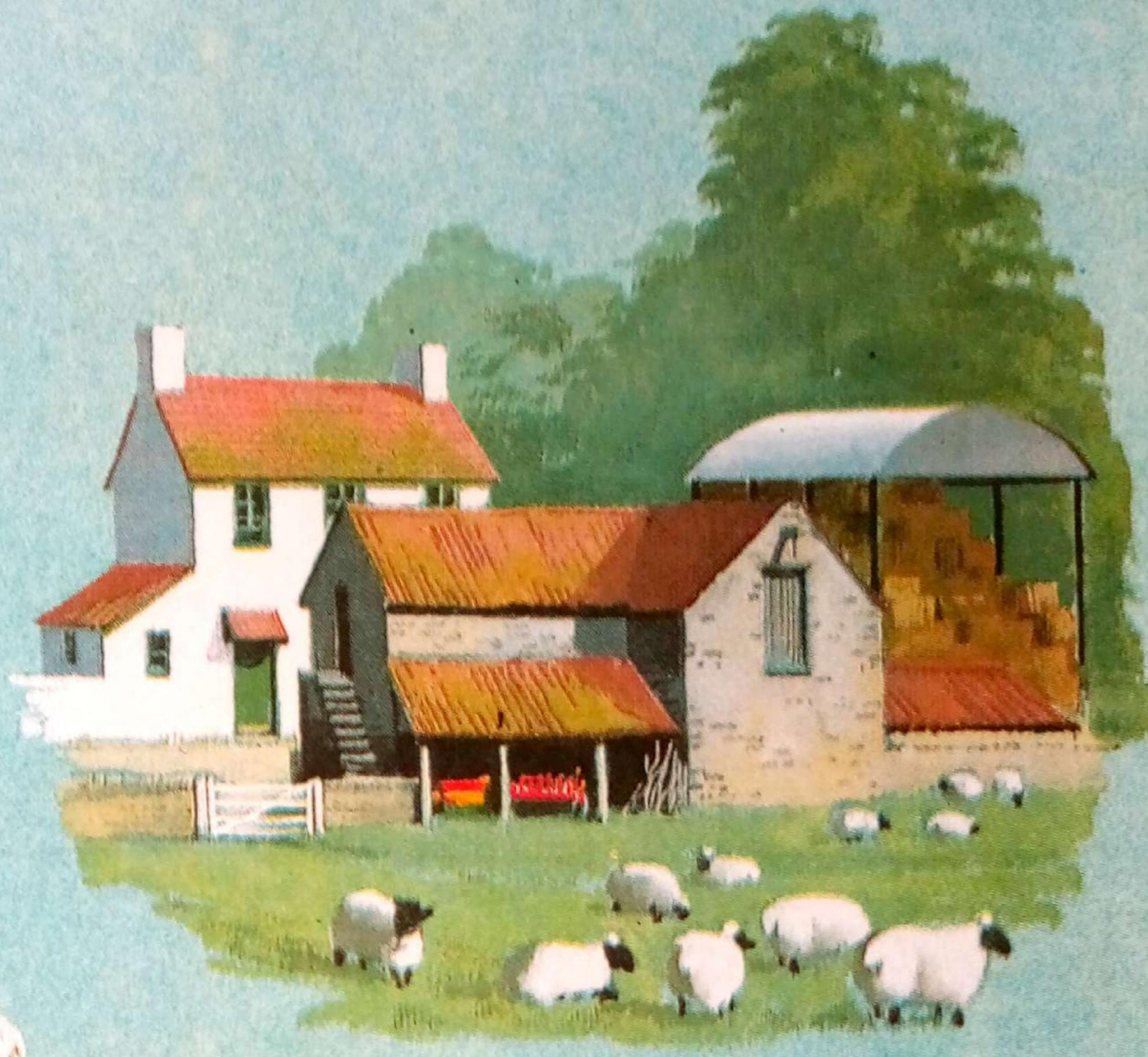

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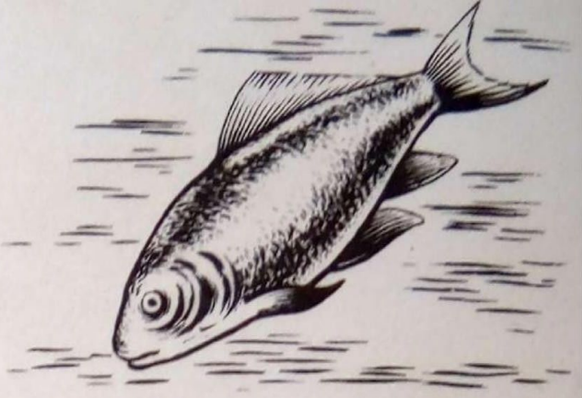

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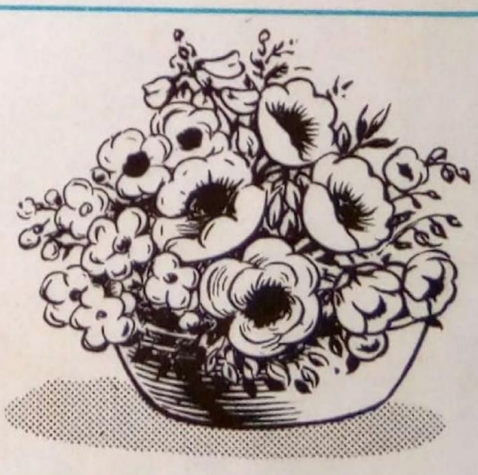

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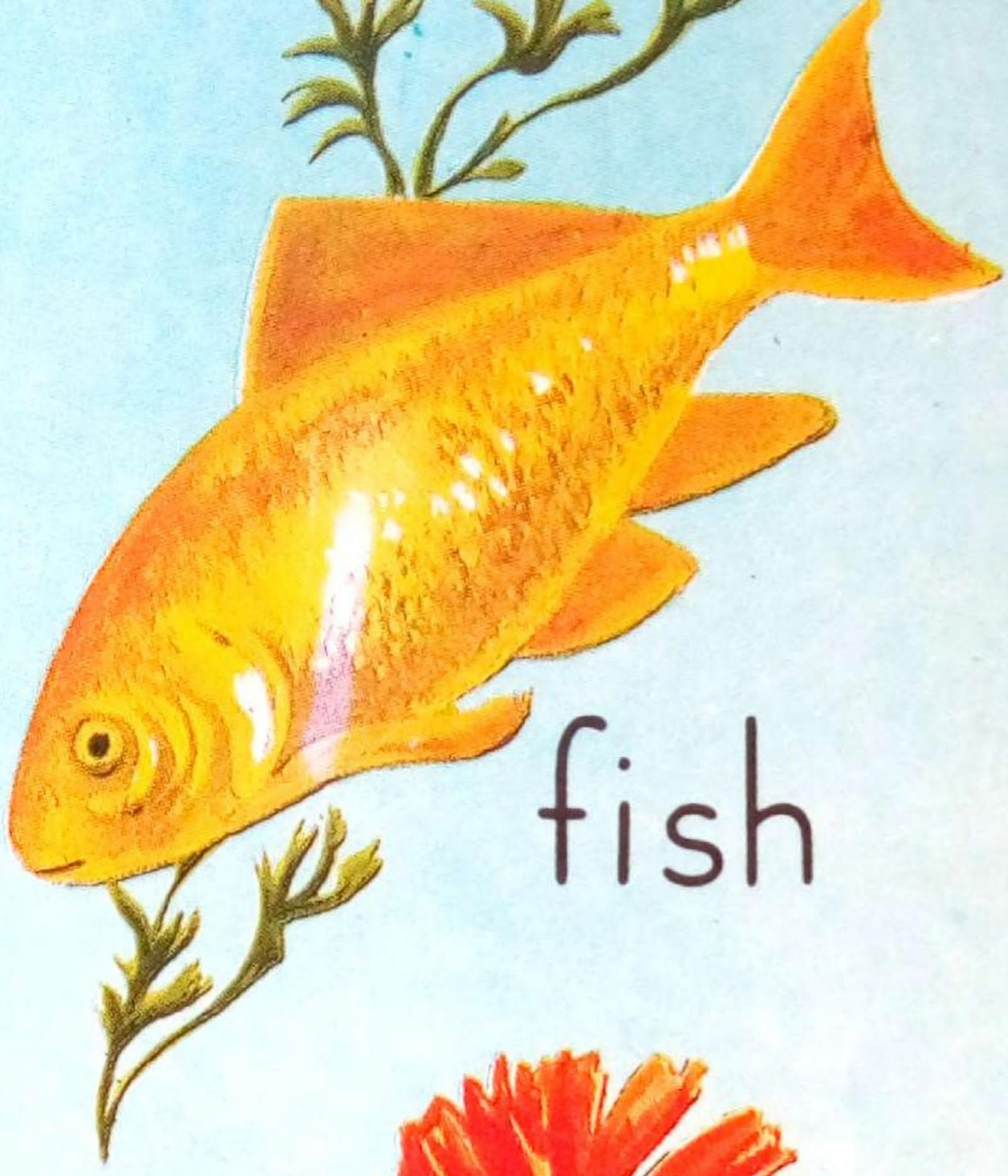

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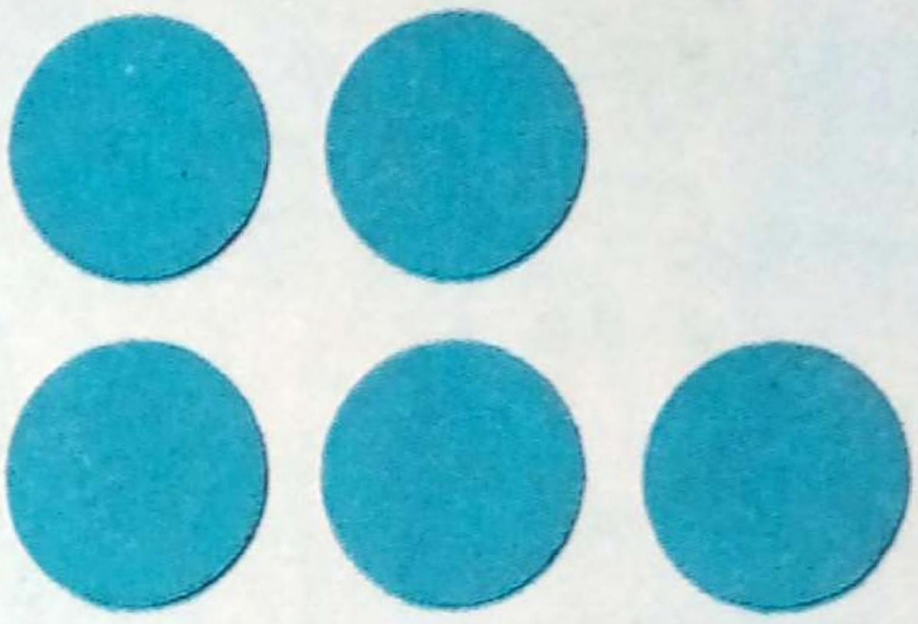

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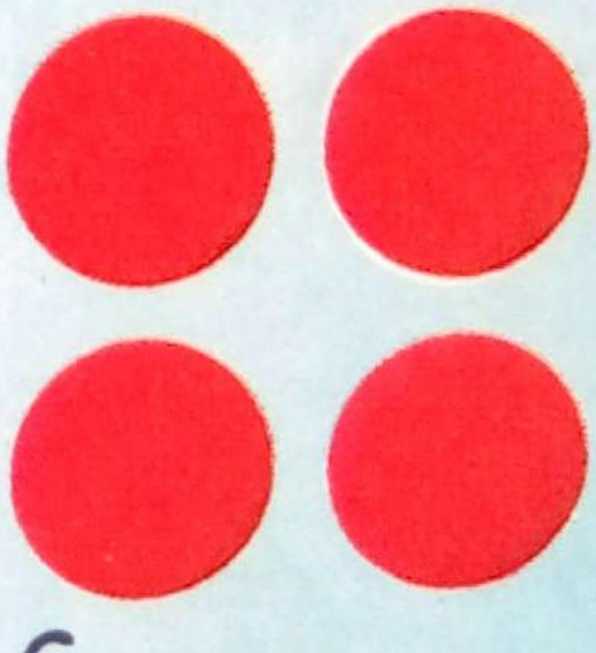

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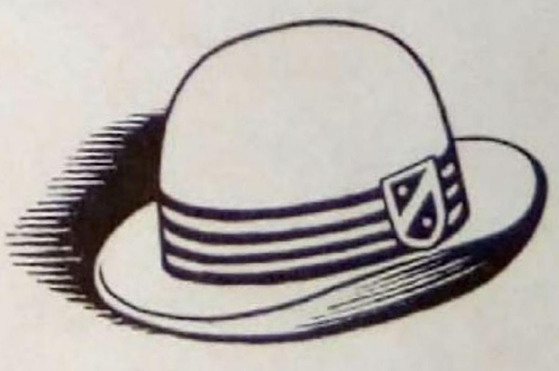

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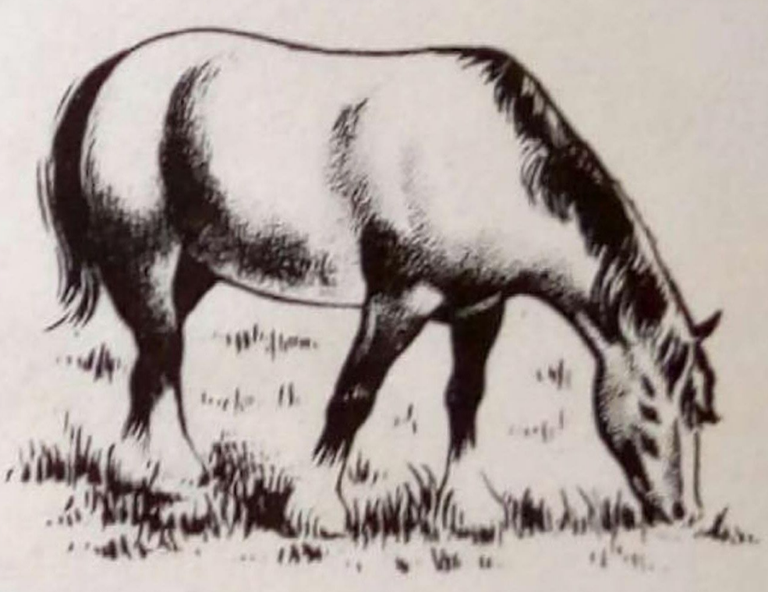

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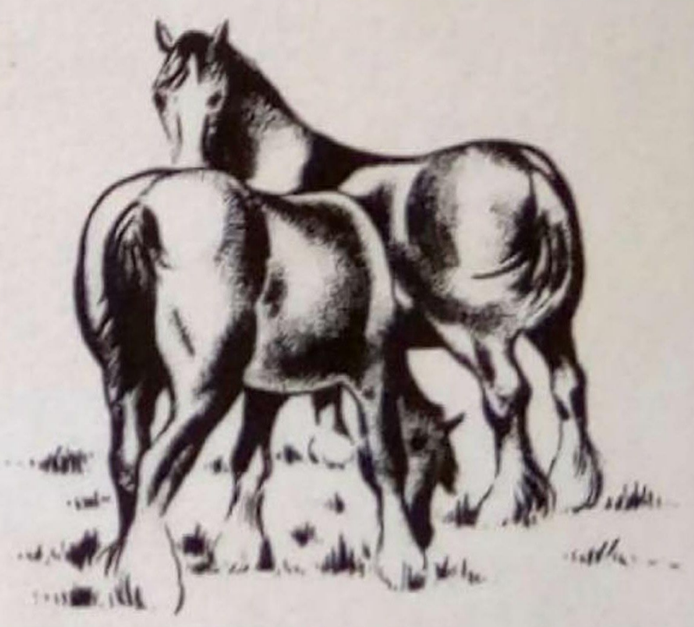

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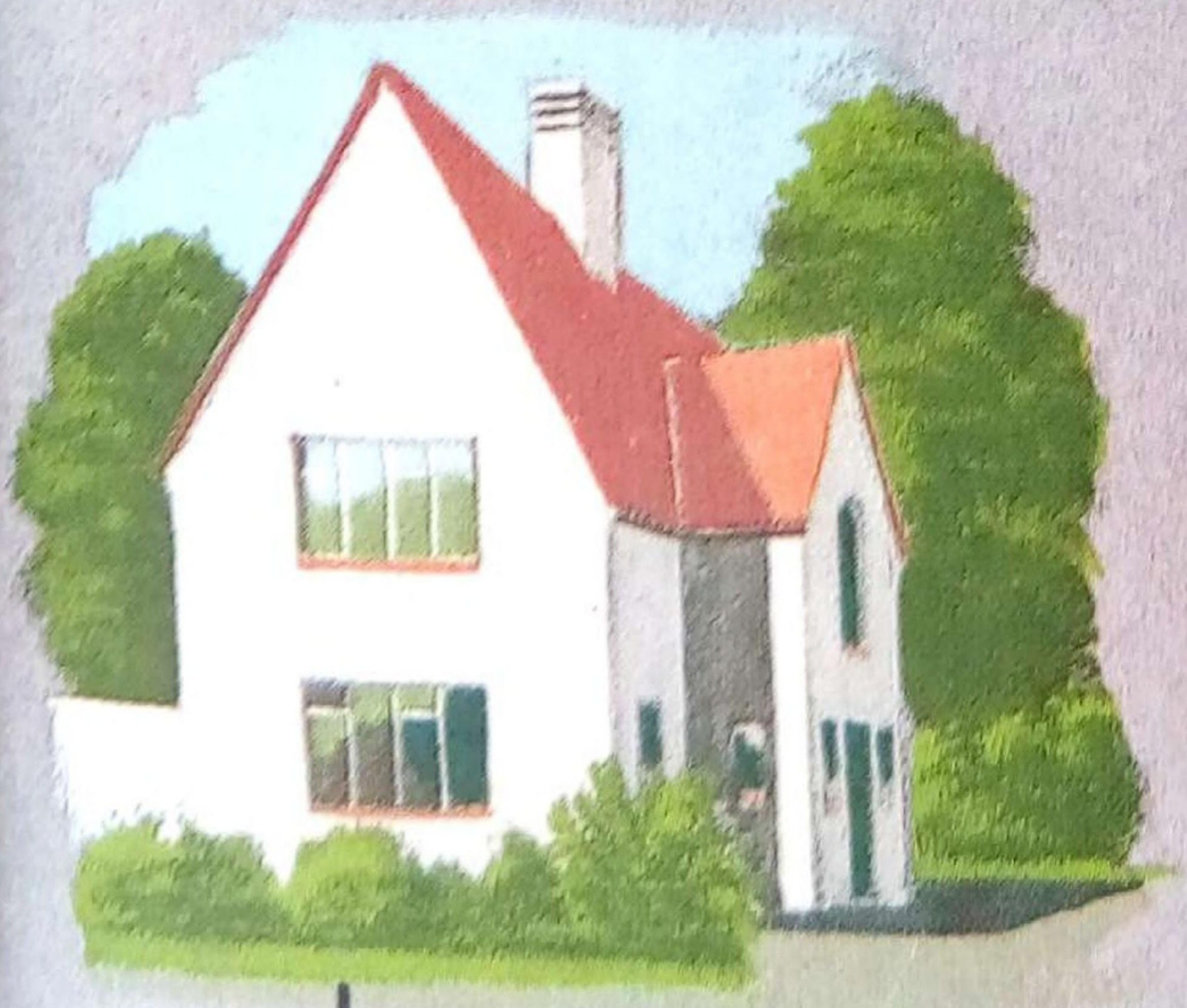

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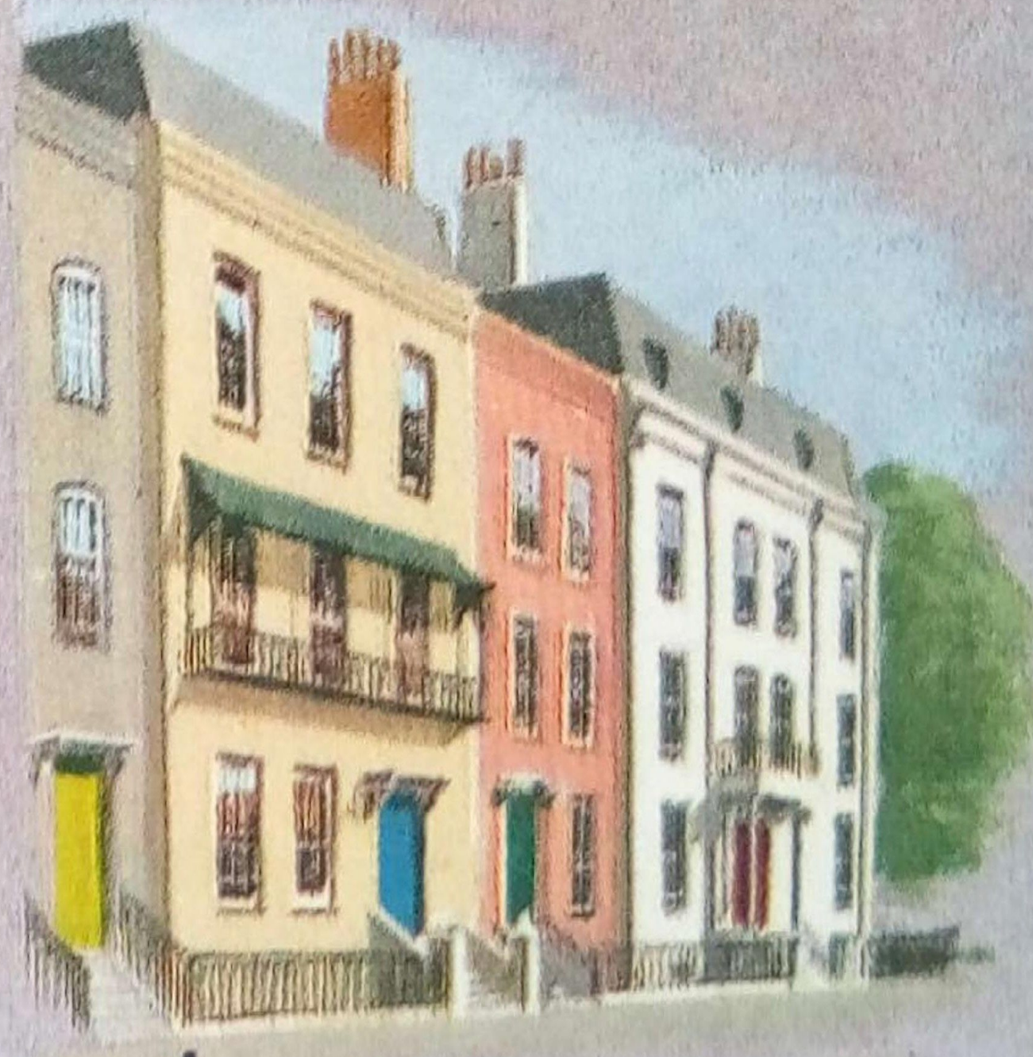

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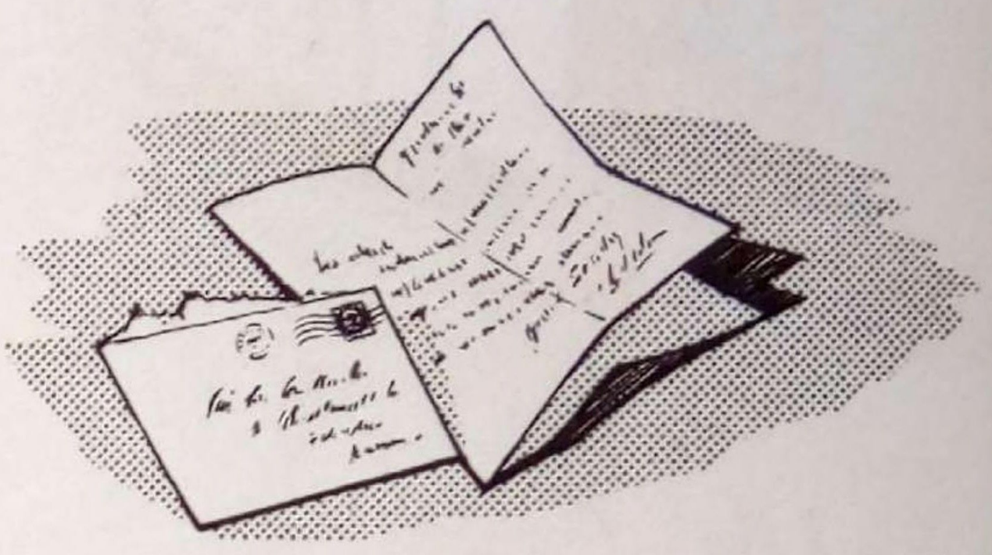

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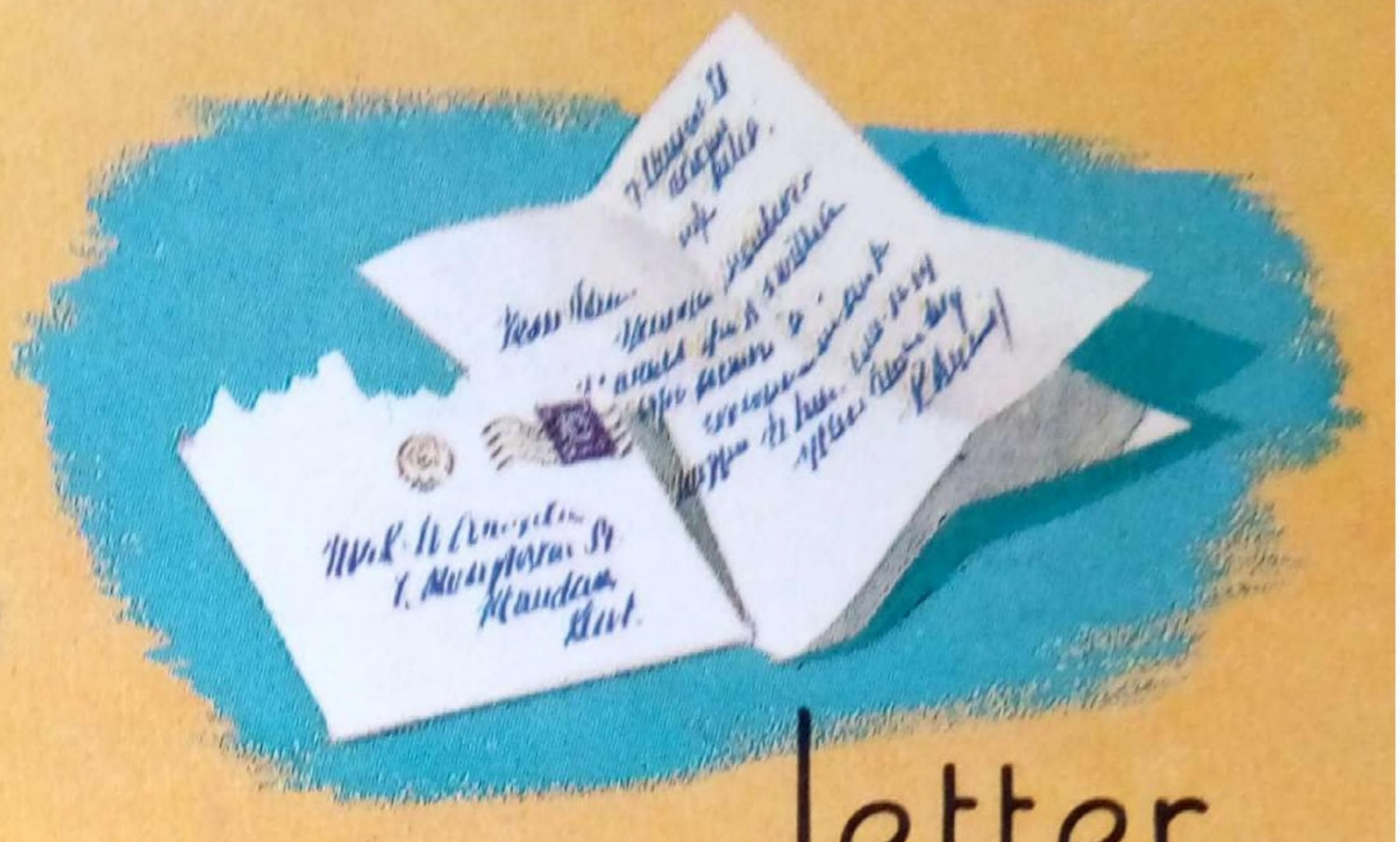

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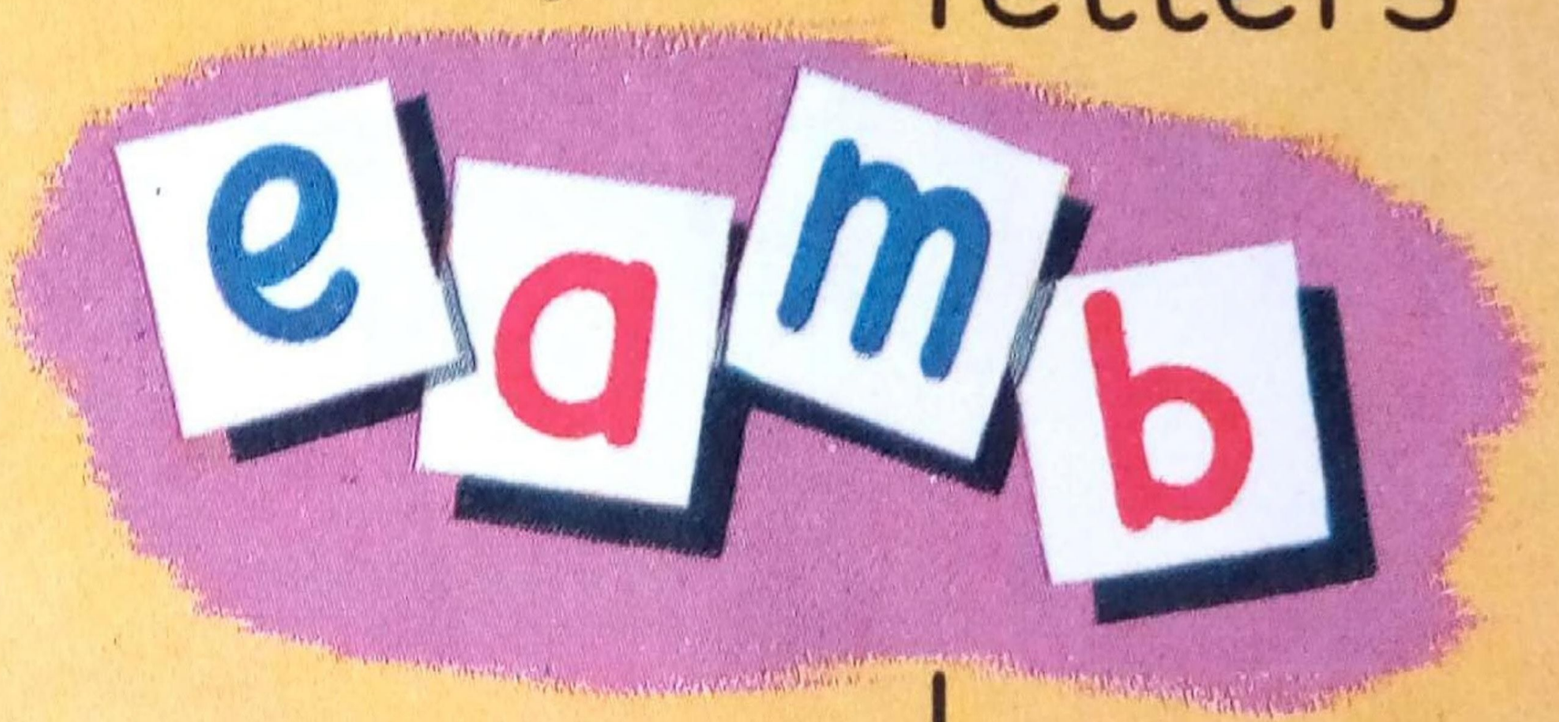

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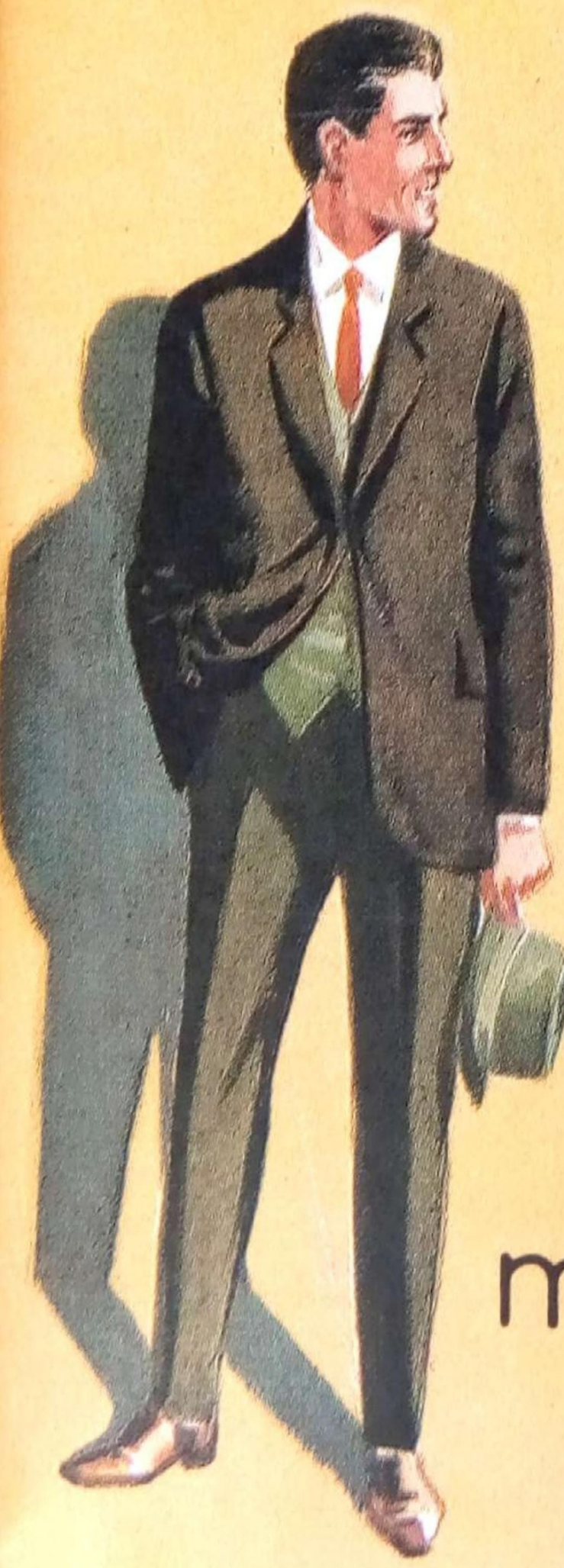

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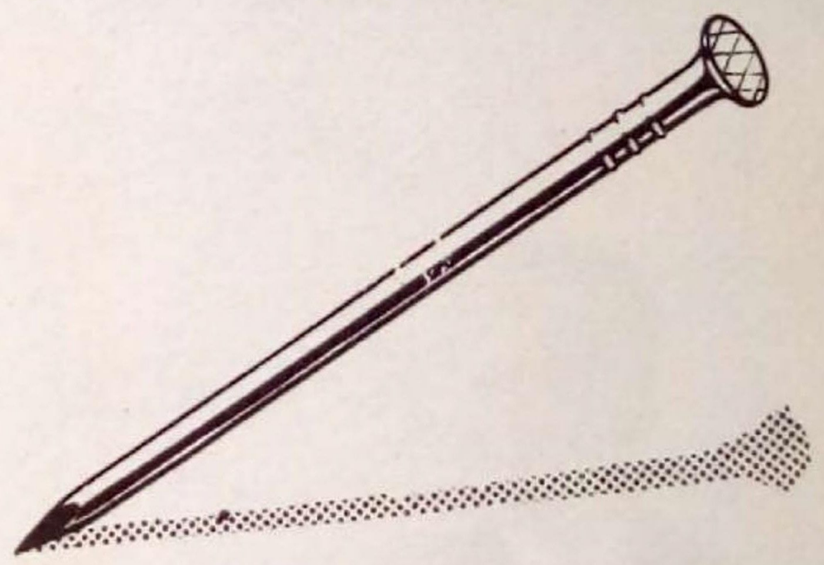

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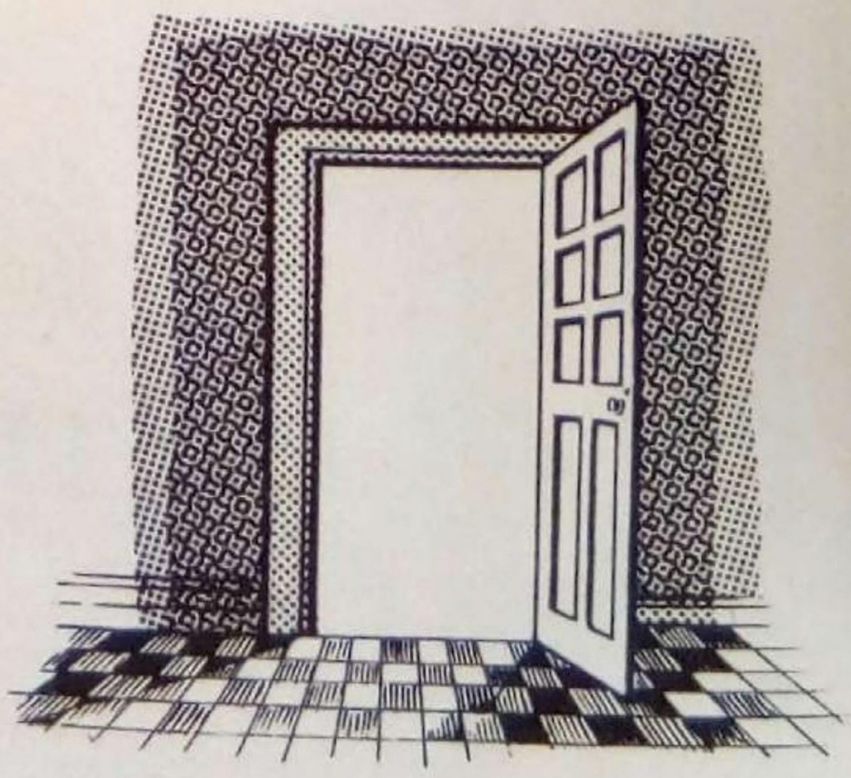

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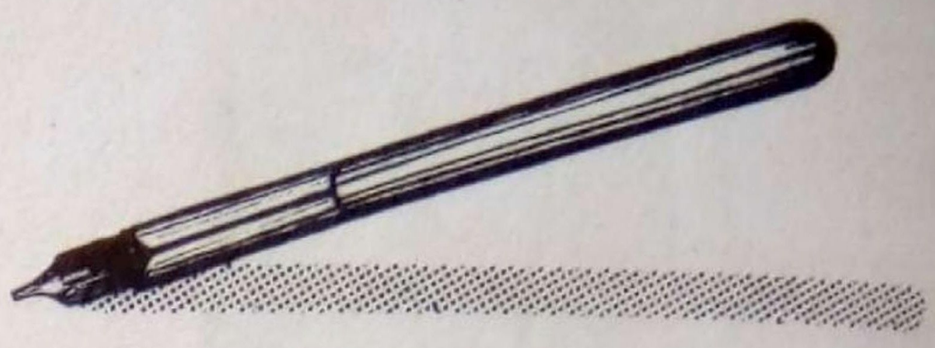

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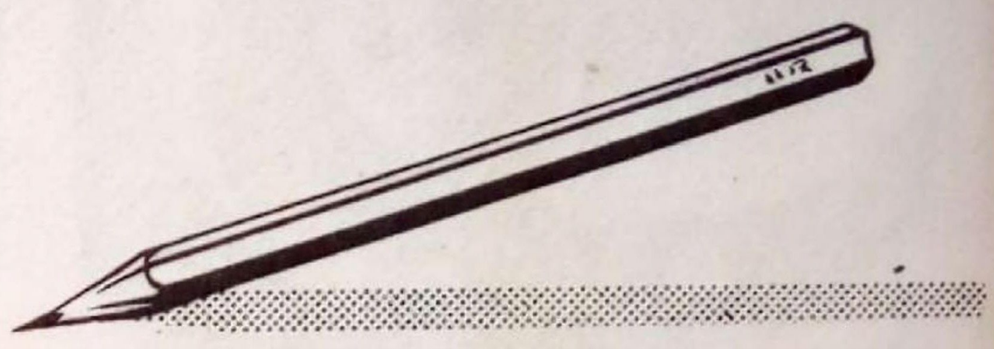

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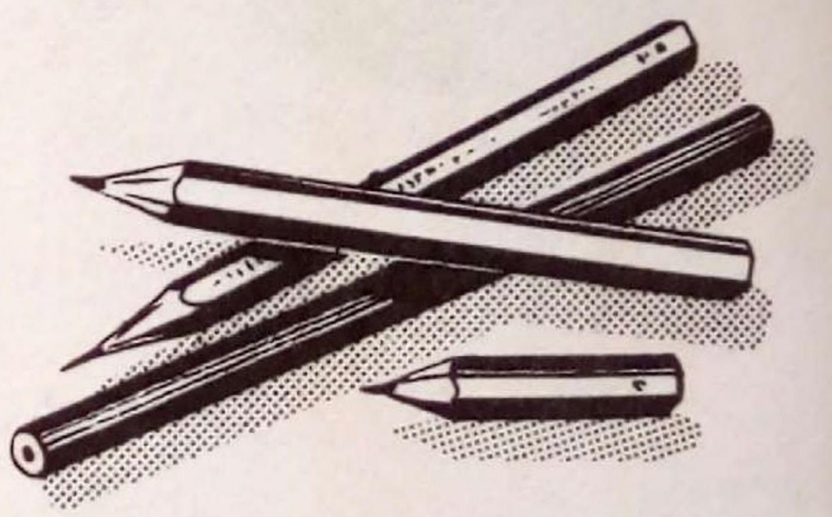

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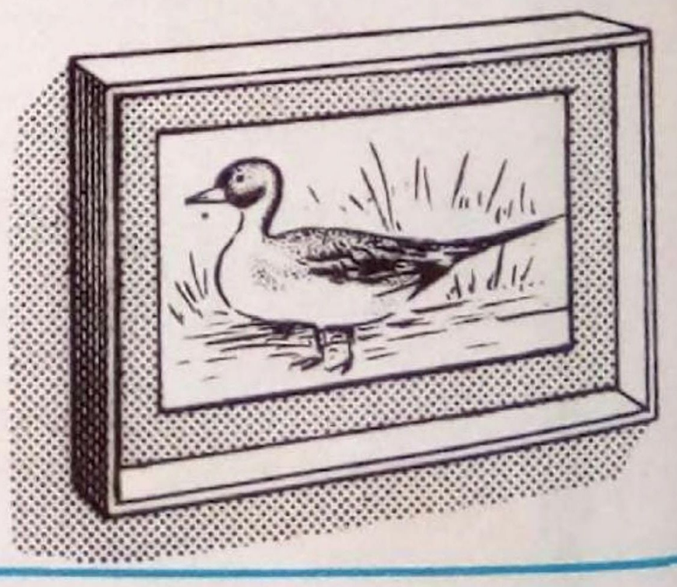

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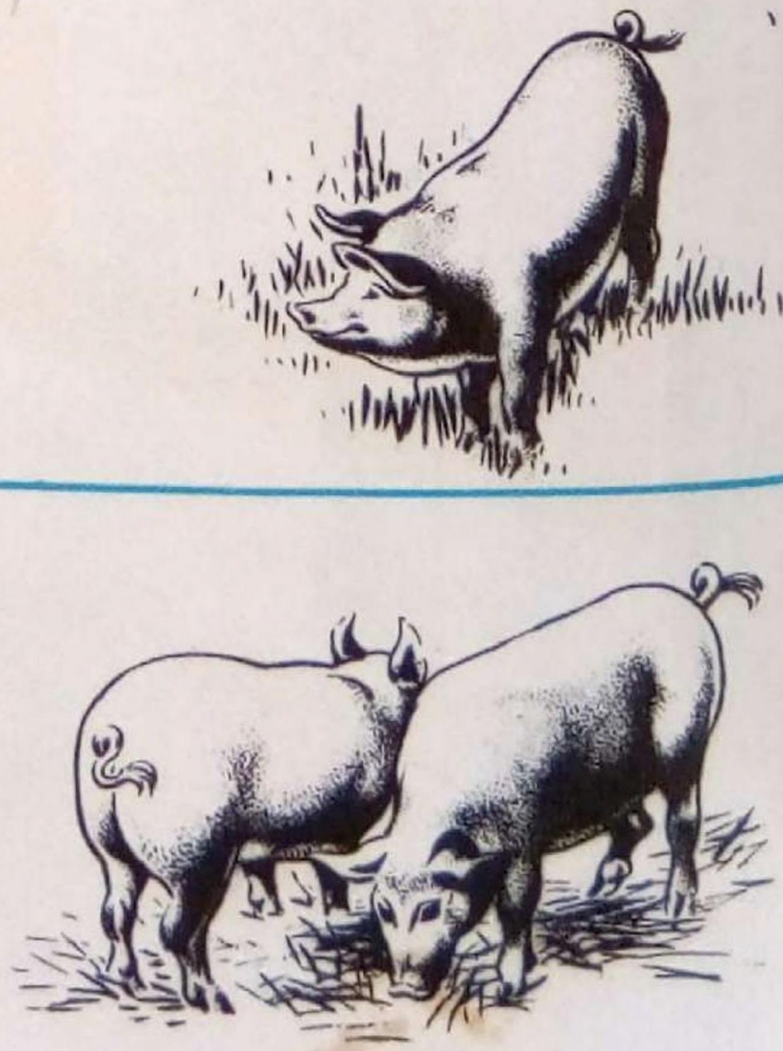

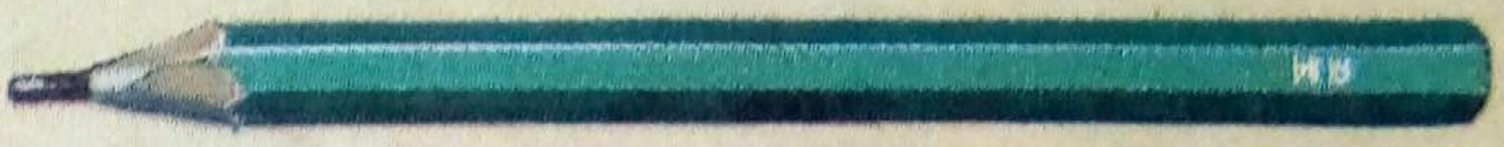

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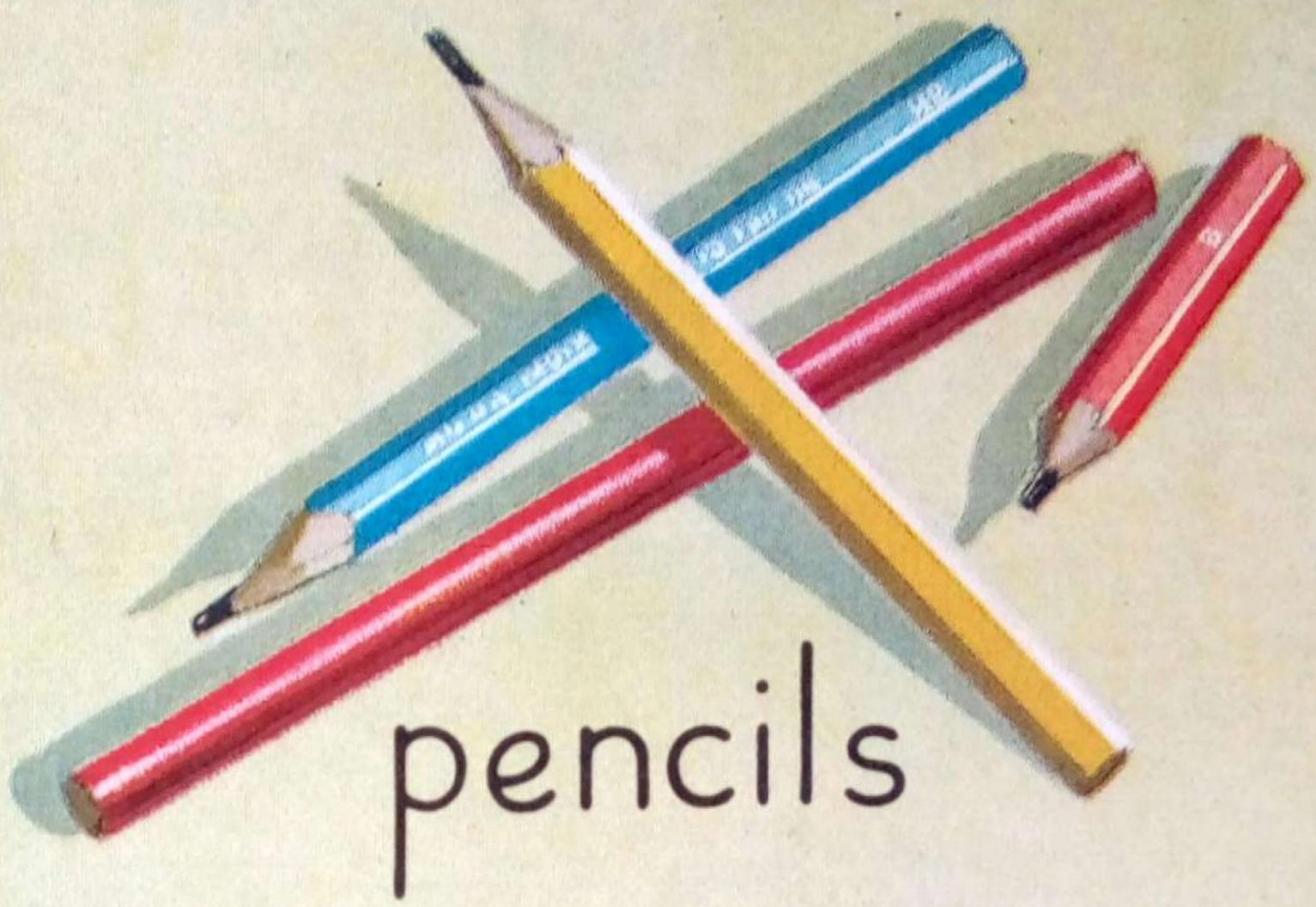

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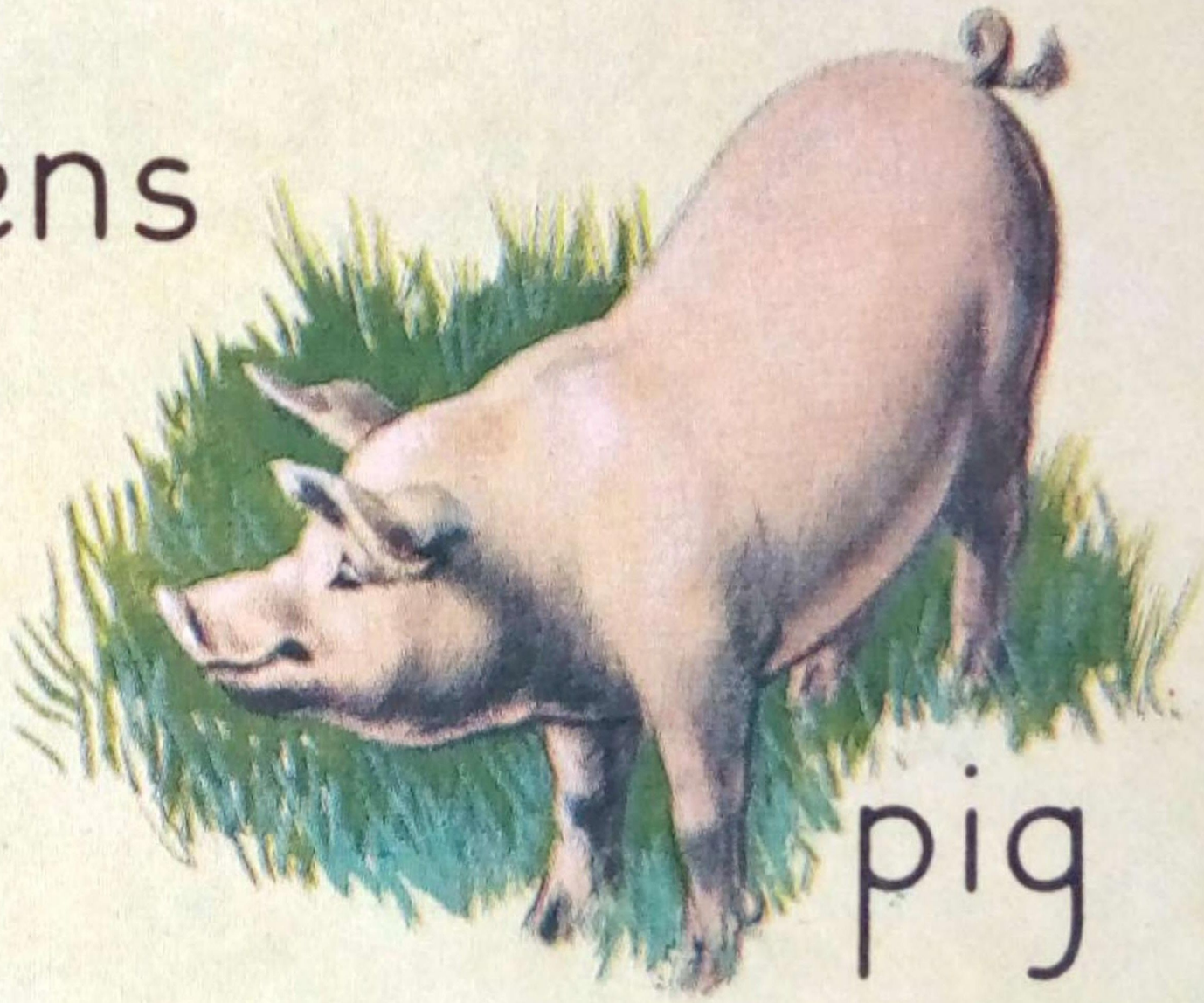

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pigs

play

playing

policeman

pull

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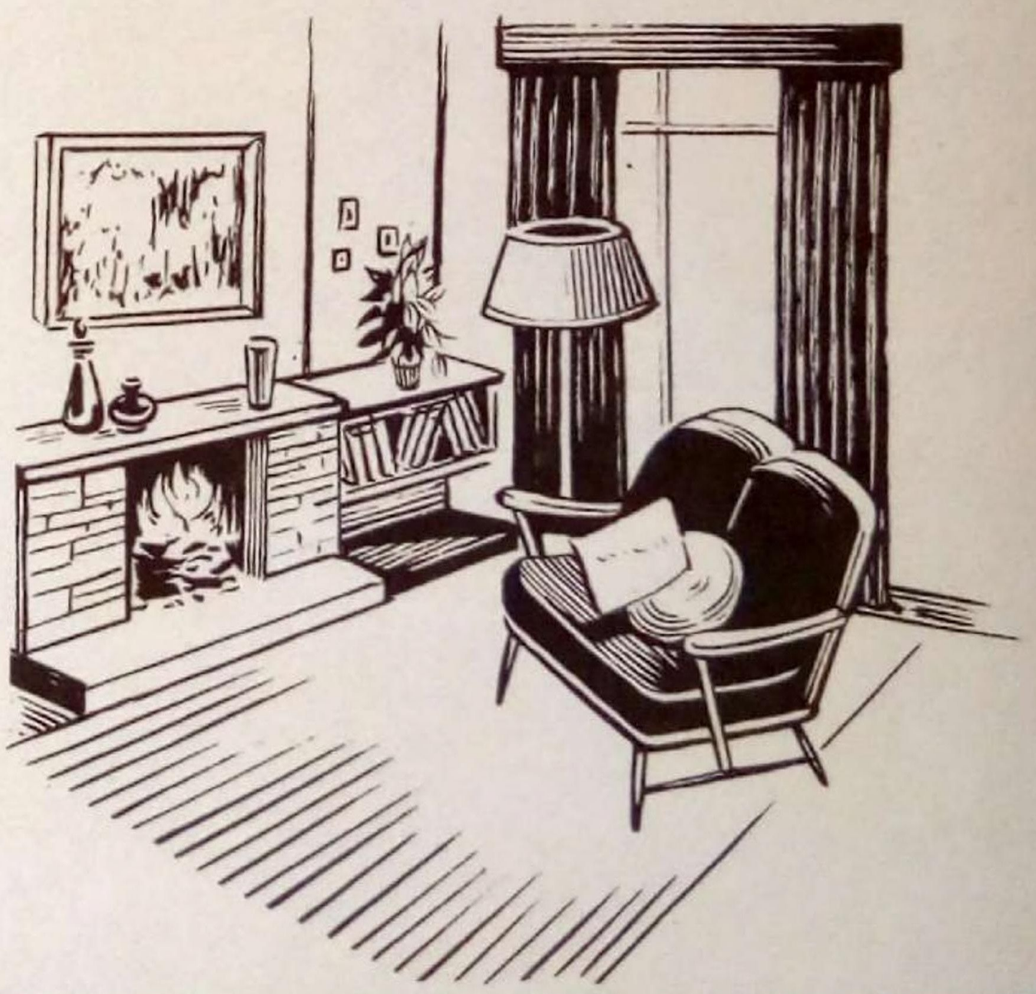
road

room



run

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road

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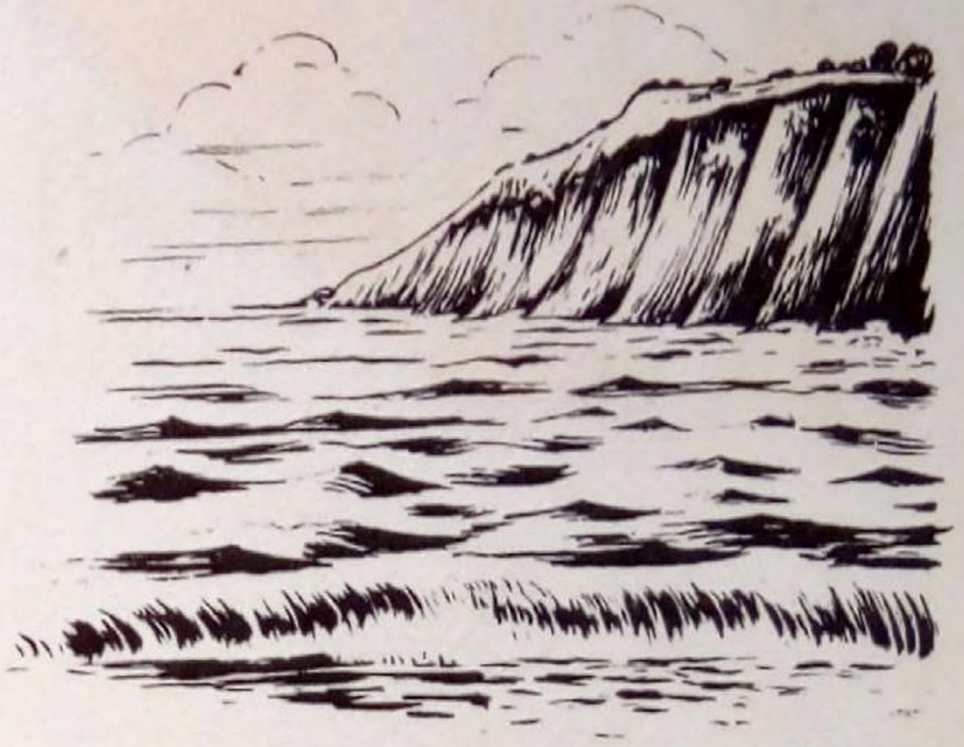
run

school

sea



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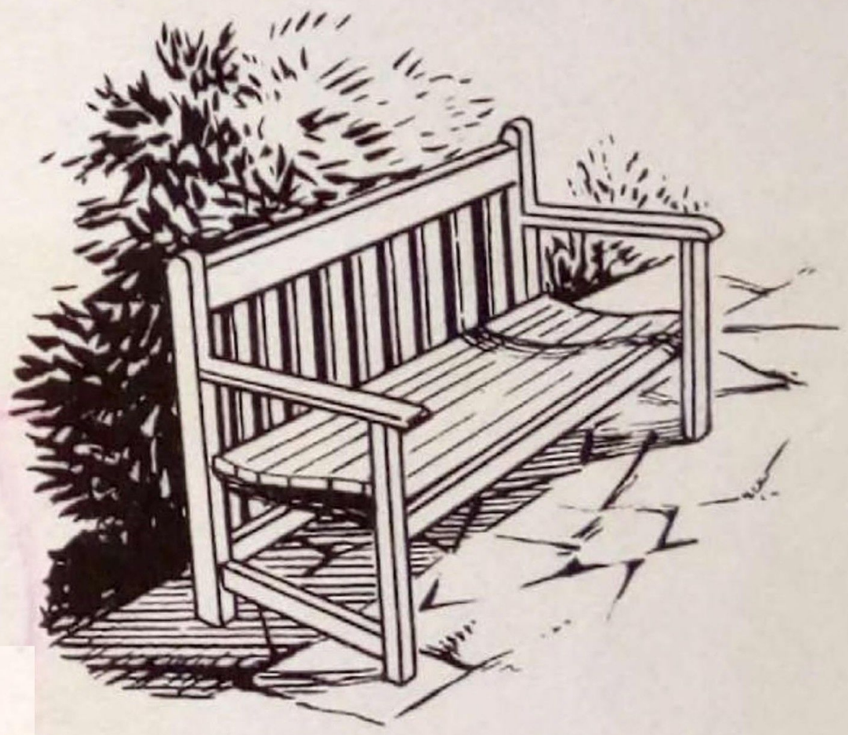

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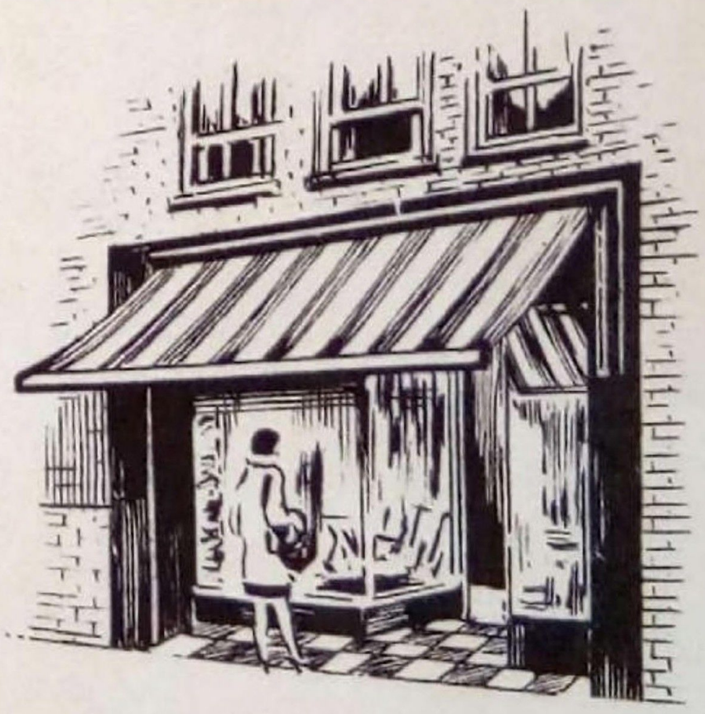

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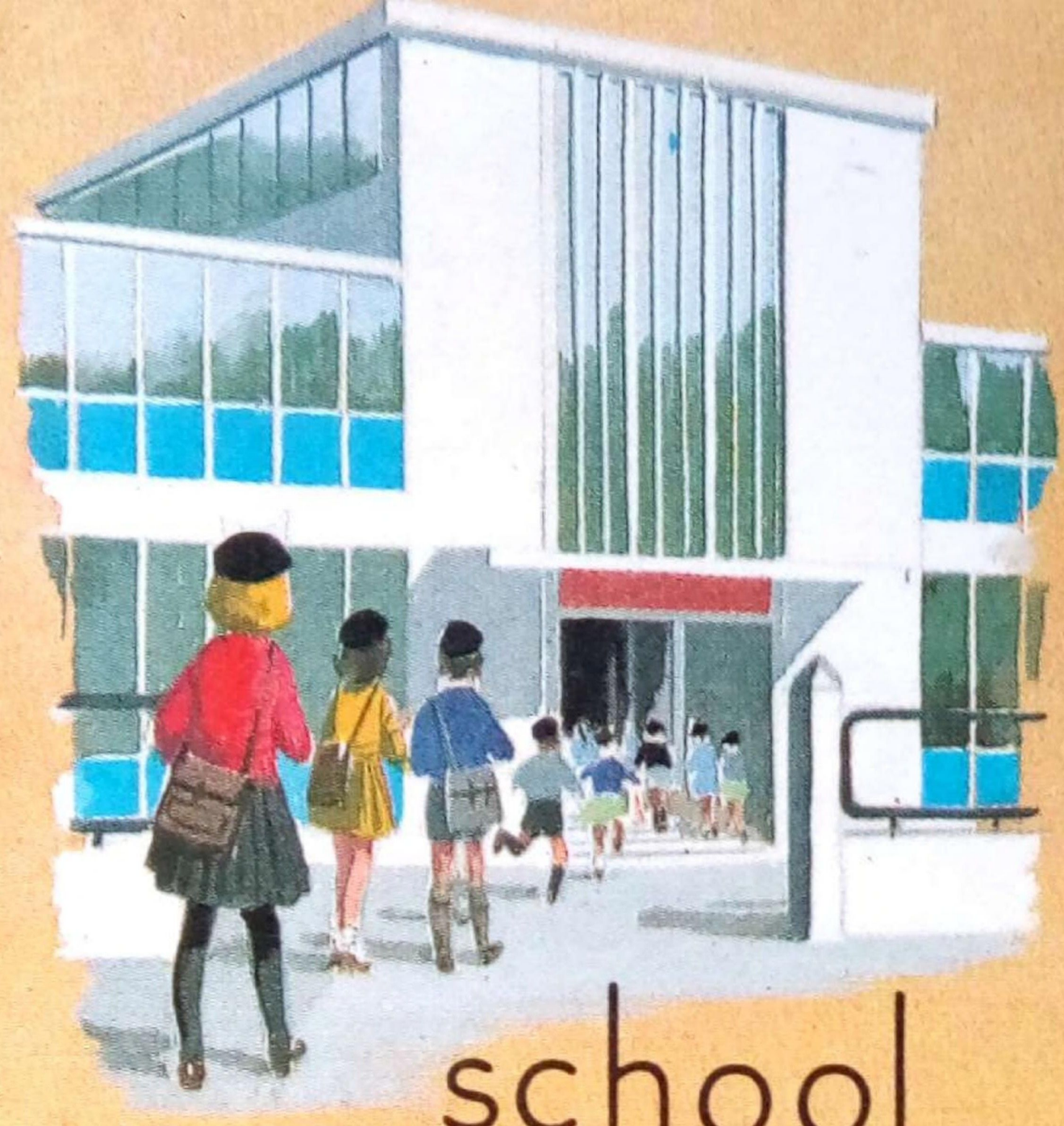


school

sea

seat

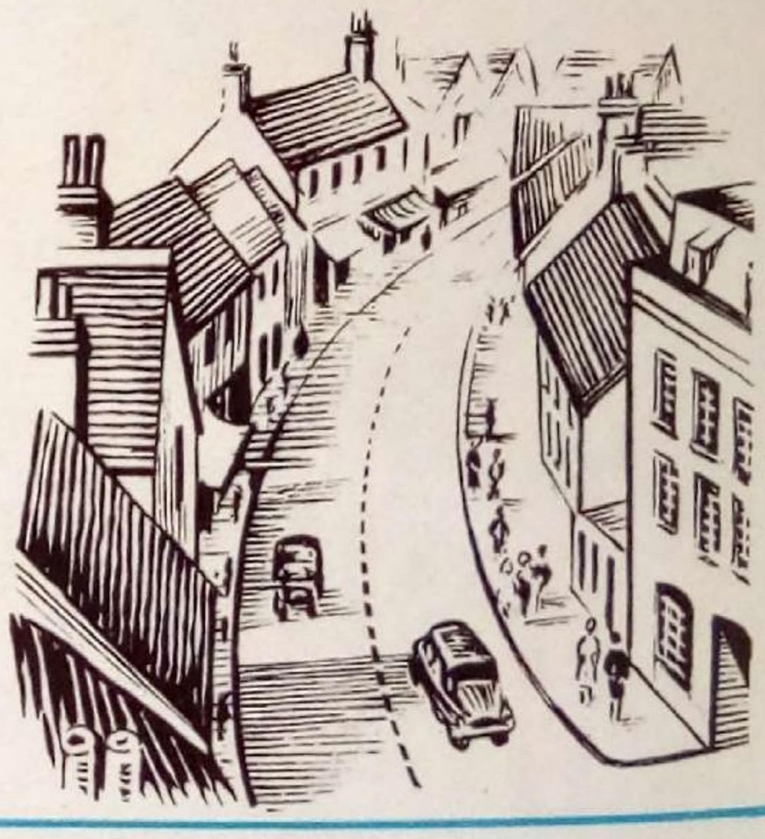
shop

shops

sing

singing

street



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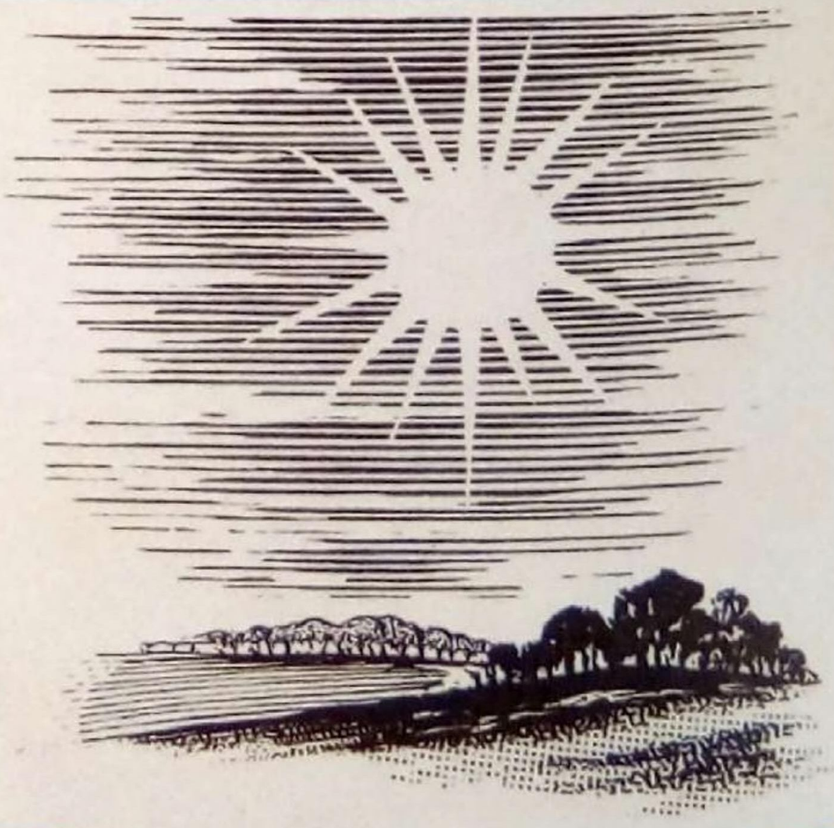

sweets

sing
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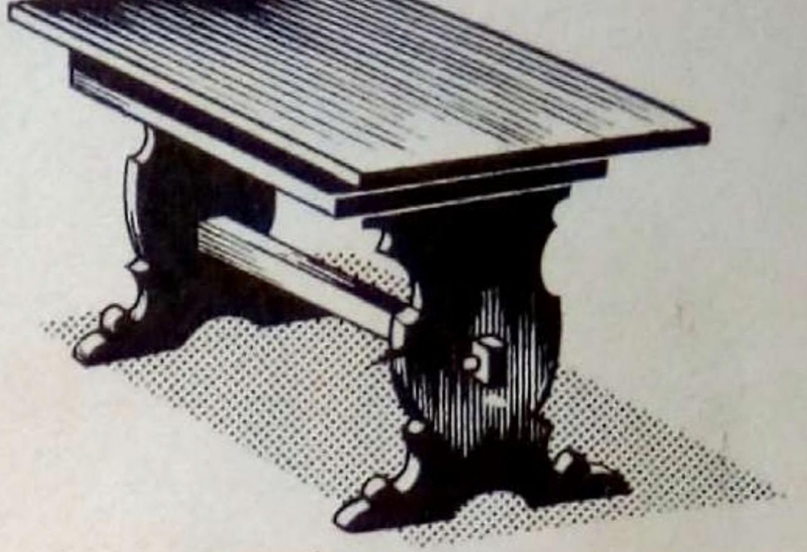
street

sun

sweets

table



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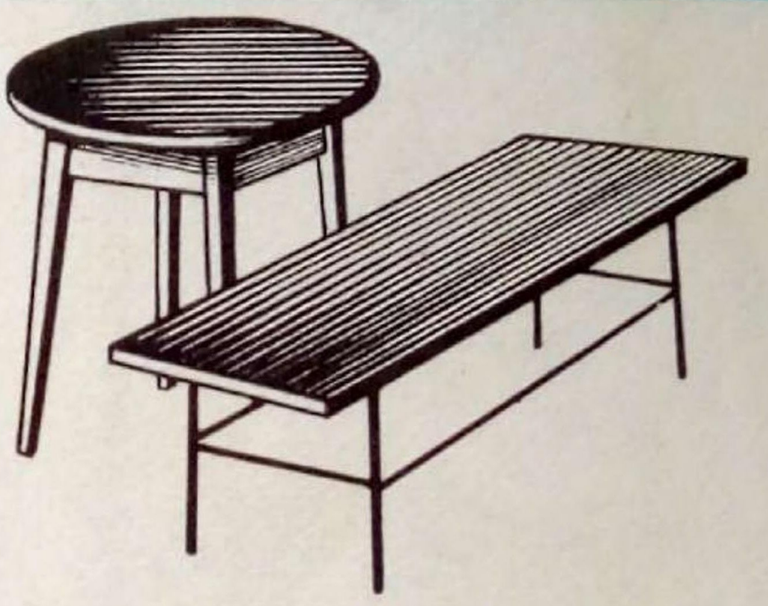

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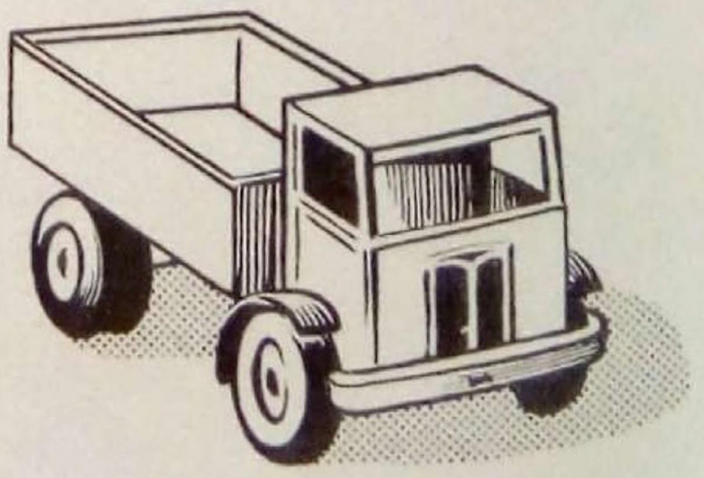

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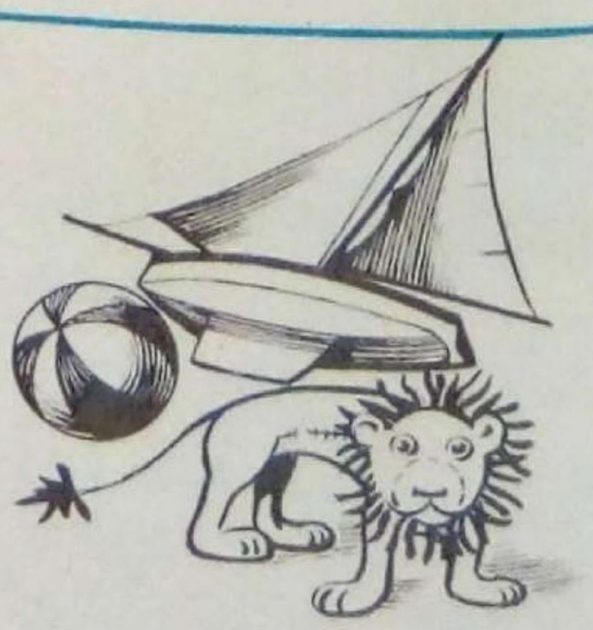

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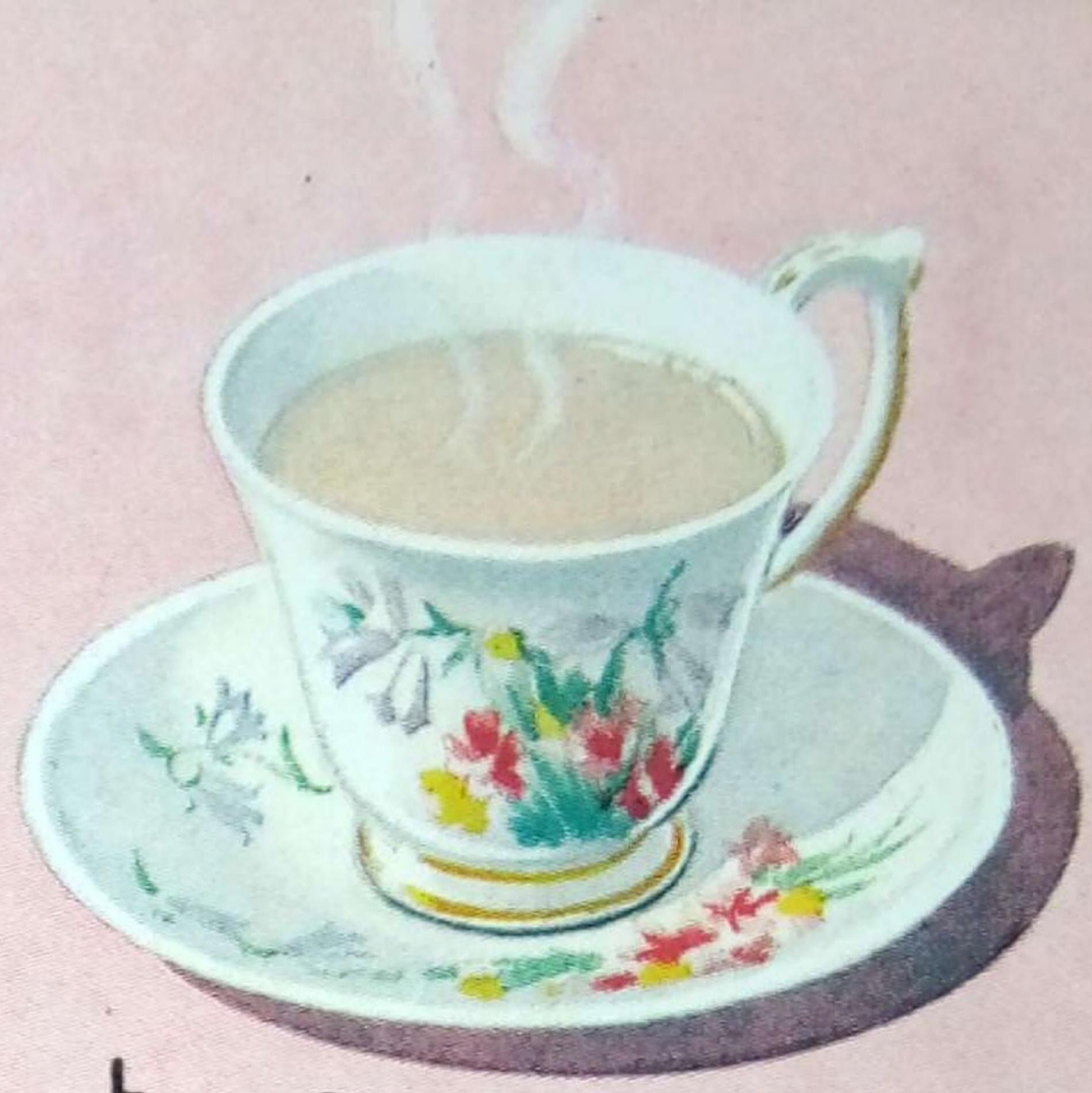

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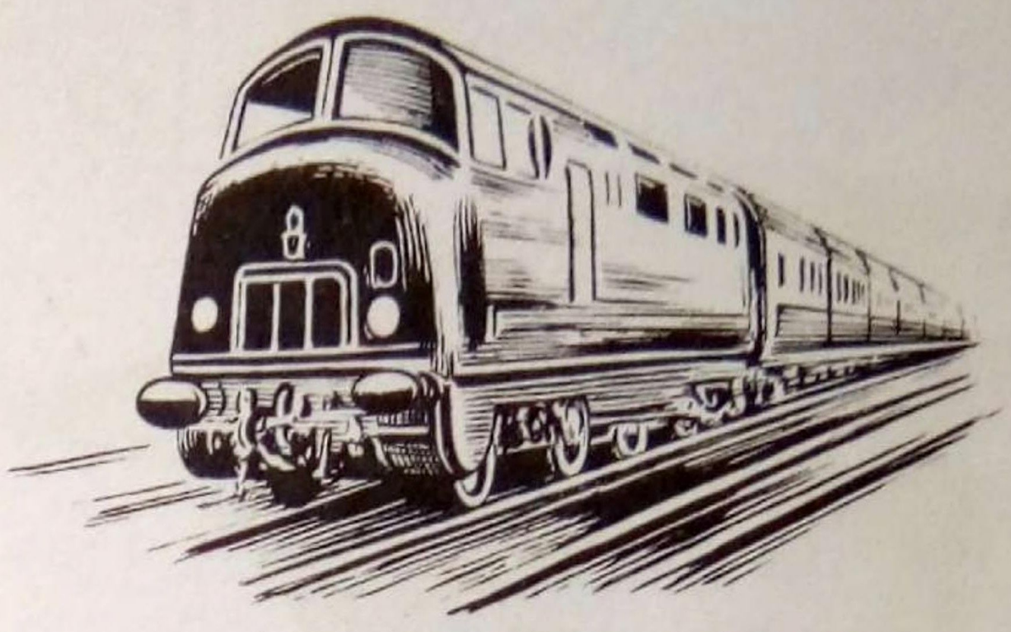
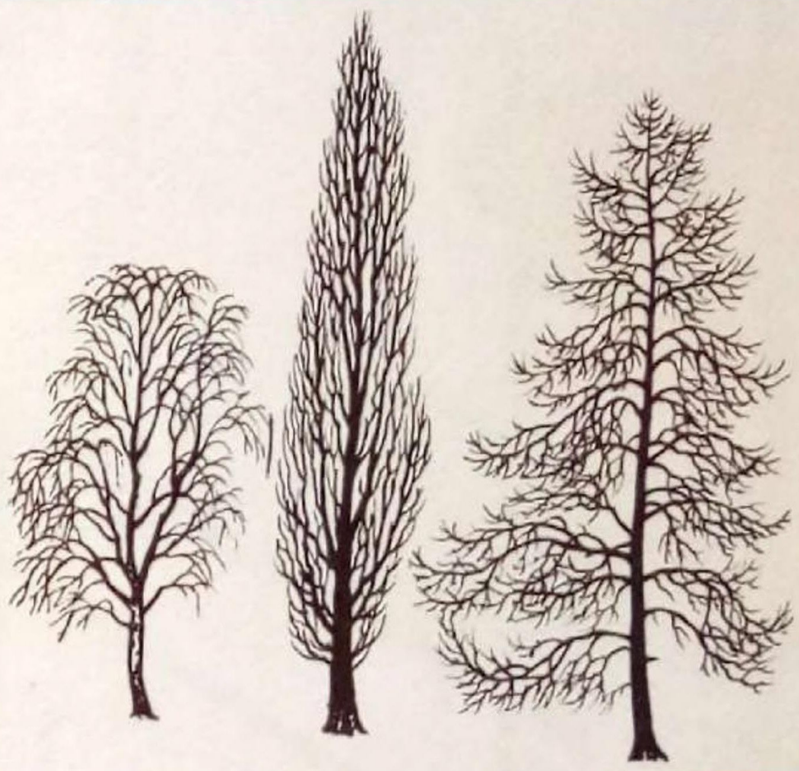


tree

trees



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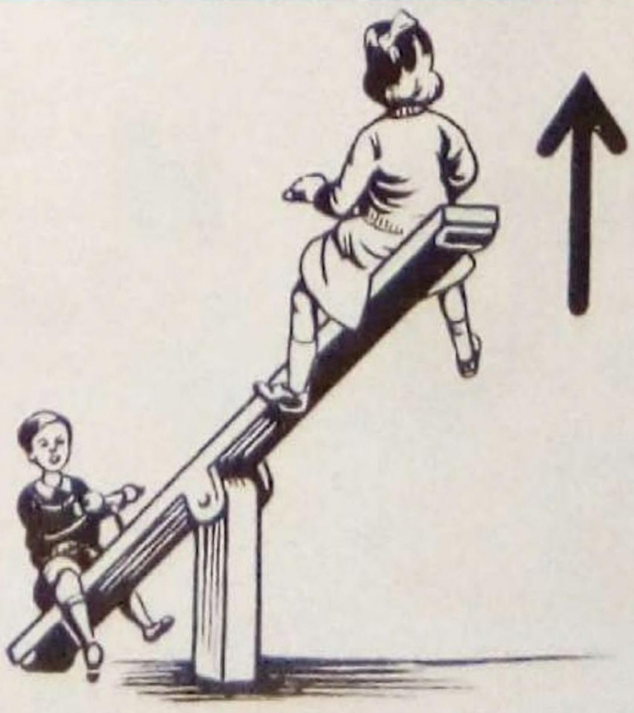


up

train

tree

trees

2

two

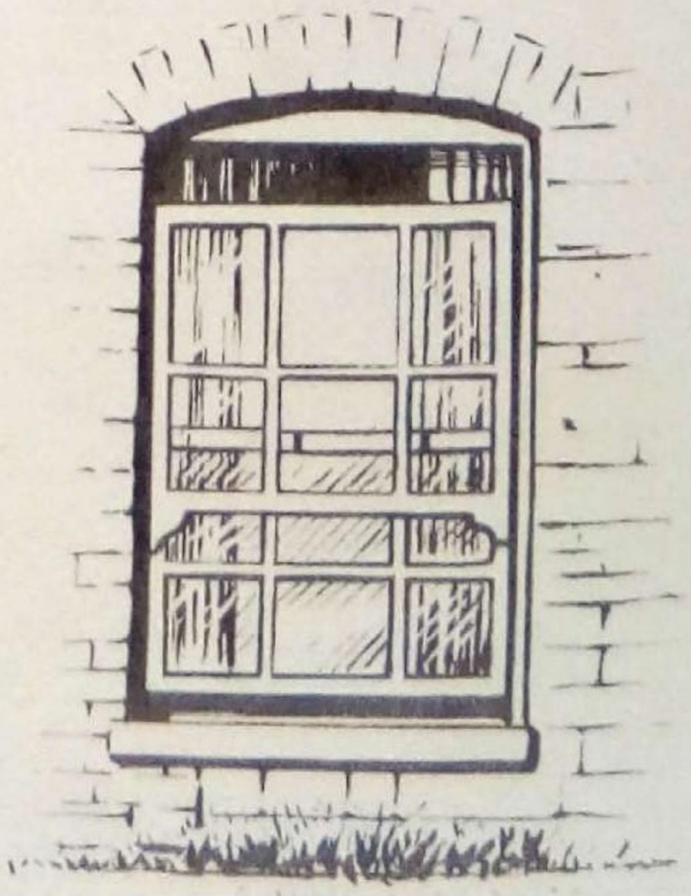
up

van

water

white

window



van

water

white

window

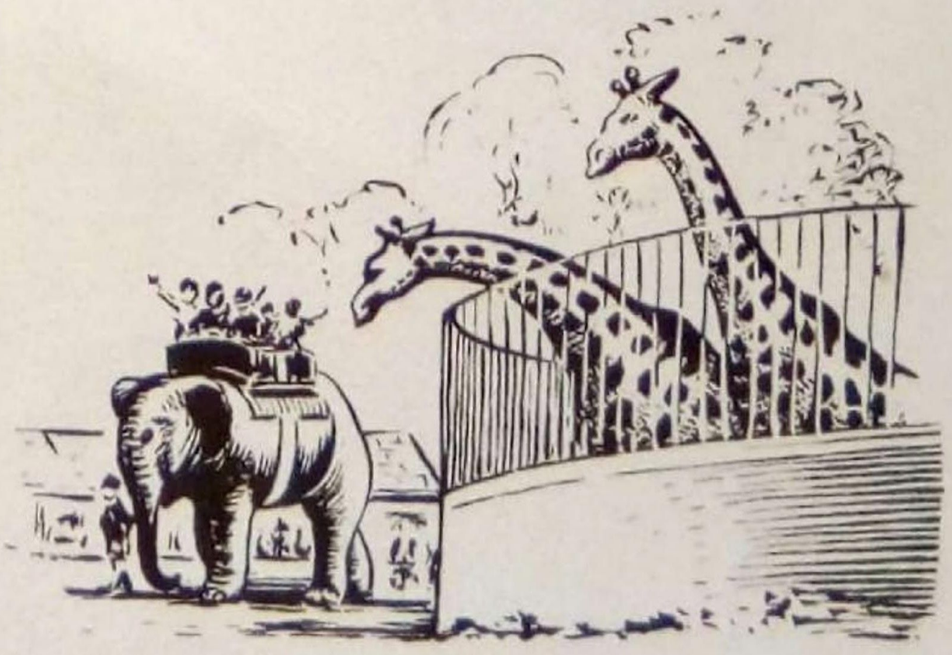
woman

women

write

yellow

zoo



woman

write

yellow

women

ZOO

List of words in this dictionary

apple
apples

baby
bag
ball
balls
bed
bird
birds
black
blue
boat
boats
book
books
box
boy
boys
bus

cake
cakes
cap
caps
car
cars
cat
cats
chair
chairs
children
cow
cows
cup
cups

dog
dogs
doll
dolls
door
down
draw
drawing
drink
drinking

eat
eating
egg
eggs

farm
fire
first
fish
five
flower
flowers
four

girl
girls
green

hand
hands
hat
hats
head
hill
horse
horses

house
houses
ink
jam
jump
jumping
king
last
letter
letters
man
men
milk
money
*nail
one
open
pen
pens
pencil
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picture
pig
pigs
play
playing
policeman
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queen
rabbit
rain
read
reading
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run
school
sea
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shop
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up
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*Not a Key Word but included to complete alphabetical sequence

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